

# The Paducah Evening Sun.

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PADUCAH, KY., TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 1 1910.

TEN CENTS PER WEEK

## "G. W. ROBERTSON" TO BE SUCCESSOR OF BETTIE OWEN

Big Boat With Dancing Cabin  
and Hardwood Floor for  
Ferry.

Water Tight Compartments in  
Her Hull.

### LOCAL FIRMS MATERIAL MEN.

The contract for the new ferryboat to replace the Bettie Owen in the Paducah, Illinois and Livingston county trade, was awarded to H. C. Murnan, president of the Helena (Ark.) Ship Yard and Dry Dock company, at the office of Attorneys Hendrick & Crice by President John E. Rollins and Secretary Charles L. Robertson, of the Paducah and Illinois Ferry company. Mr. Murnan left for Helena with the contract, and blue prints will be made at once and sent back here for approval. The new boat will be built at an approximate cost of \$33,000 and will be named the "G. W. Robertson," in honor of Mr. Charles Robertson's father, who is president of the Globe Bank and Trust company.

Two features will predominate in the new ferryboat. She will be built especially for ferry business and excursion parties and is to be much larger and more powerful than the last ferry, Bettie Owen.

A motto that has been observed by the ferryboat company and for which they are to be complimented is that they will "patronize Paducah industries" as far as possible in the construction of the new boat. The Sherrill-Russell Lumber company will supply all the lumber and timbers to be used in building the boat; the Fowler & Wolfe Sheet Metal and Boiler company will build the boilers, and the Shelton foundry will build the engines. All are Paducah firms and a large per cent of the contract price for the boat will go to these firms.

### The Robertson.

The Robertson is to be completed within 90 days, and, although the contract price was not made specific, Captain Rollins says the total cost of the boat will be between \$32,000 and \$33,000. She will be 155 feet in length over all, in comparison with 137 feet for the Bettie Owen. Her beam is to be 52 feet in width, 6x40 foot dimensions in comparison with 39.9 feet beam for the Owen.

One important feature of the new boat's construction will be water tight compartments in the hull to prevent her sinking. Any two compartments could fill with water and the boat would still be in seaworthy condition. The cabin is to run the full length of the boat and she will have a dancing cabin 20x100 feet in dimensions with a polished hardwood floor. All windows and doors will be of colored glass and she will be equipped with an electric plant equal to that of any boat on the river. It is to have two boilers 46x22 and a cylinder 17 feet by 6 1/2. On the boat's completion she will be one of the finest ferries on western waters. She will have a much greater tonnage than the Bettie Owen's, which were: Gross, 344; net, 189. The new boat's hold will be five feet compared with four for the Bettie Owen.

She will be able to make 12 miles per hour down stream and 10 miles up stream, and will take up the ferry business between here and Livingston's Point.

### Mr. Lassiter Returns

Architect A. L. Lassiter has returned from Asheville, N. C., where he has been for five months. He is much improved in health and has returned to Paducah to take active charge of his office again. His many friends will be pleased to learn that his health has improved greatly and he has gained much in weight.

### Basketball

Two fast basketball games are promised for tonight, and a large crowd is expected as it has been over a week since a game has been played in the city basketball league. All the remaining games will be important factors in the final standing of the percentage column. The games tonight will be played between the High school and Light and Power teams while the C. C. & W. lineup against the Elks.

Mr. L. T. Atkinson, formerly connected with the Sutherland Medicine company, is in St. Anthony, Idaho.

## New County Jail Stands No Show of Being Built by This Fiscal Court Unless Bond Issue is Submitted

Magistrates Trim Some Unnecessary Expenses and Hold Officials Down to Size of County Judge's O. K.

Need of a new county jail formed the most interesting topic discussed in the March meeting of the fiscal court today. The magistrates are divided on the proposition, and a lively debate ensued as to the propriety of beginning plans for the erection of a new jail. After much talking the motion of Magistrate Walston to defer the question until the April meeting carried.

The report of the jail committee was received and filed, as well as the report of Dr. H. T. Rivers, county health officer; Dr. H. P. Sights, city health officer, and Dr. L. E. Young, county physician. They condemned the prison as being unsanitary, badly ventilated and badly lighted. Magistrate Bleich and Householder were the champions of a new jail, and advocated the establishment of a fund, so that the jail could be erected within a short time. Magistrate Walston said he wanted a new jail if the people wanted it, but he thought it a question that should be submitted to them.

He advocated placing the new jail question before the taxpayers in the form of a bond issue, and if it carried to build the prison.

County Judge Barkley said it would be impossible for the county to build a jail now without going into debt, and he does not favor it. He said his policy is to use the money on the roads, and not to cut the road or any other fund in order to accumulate a fund for a new jail. Magistrate Kuykendall is a strong advocate of better roads, and objected strenuously to any reduction in the road levy.

### Cutting Expenses.

Magistrate Walston made the motion that one telephone be removed from the second floor of the court house, as two are not needed. In his motion he included that the office of sexton for the county cemetery be abolished. The sexton is paid \$10 monthly, and it was considered an expense not necessary. The motion passed with Magistrate Bleich objecting to the sexton going.

The court sat down on some of the county officials, who have made purchases and had work done without first obtaining a written permit from the county judge. The finance committee decided not to allow bills until the permits are secured, and to follow out the rule adopted in January.

County Attorney Sanders E. Gray reported that he has failed to find any order or contract, authorizing the employment of George Gardner as inspector on the Clark's river bridge. Accordingly the court refused to allow Mr. Gardner his salary of \$100 for January. County Judge Barkley stated that Judge Lightfoot informed him the inspector was employed until January 1 only.

### Committee Reports.

Magistrate Ross reported that the committee is preparing to purchase more ground in order that the road, running parallel to Massie creek from the Lovelaceville road to the Clinton road may be made wider. At present it is so narrow that two wagons can barely pass.

Magistrates Bleich and Kuykendall made a report of their visit to the almshouse at Louisville, and of

### BALLOON MISSING.

San Antonio, Tex., March 1.—Nothing has yet been heard from the balloon, New York, bearing Clifford B. Harmon and George B. Harrison, of New York, in their trial for the Lahm cup. When the big bag arose late last night a gale carried it northeast at a rate of 25 miles an hour. It was out of sight before having exceeded an altitude of 1,500 feet. The aeronauts will endeavor to maintain an elevation of 2,000 feet so as to continue in the same current air, which should land them at some point in California. However, the general trend of the wind farther north is easterly and the big craft may even be borne as far east as Illinois or Indiana. The balloon is equipped for a flight of 72 hours.

ferred rules for the government of the poor farm. At the last meeting rules were adopted, and the report was received and filed.

County Court Clerk Singleton reported the collection of \$104 back taxes and the county court clerk and the county attorney were allowed their fees.

W. E. Lane was authorized to proceed and remove dirt from the south end of the road at the approach of the Clark's river bridge. A controversy has arisen, and Mr. Lane asked for instructions, as he said former Magistrate Sanders Brooks had threatened to sue him if the dirt was moved. The land to straighten the road was given by Mrs. C. H. Brooks without any strings tied to it, the county officials claim, while it was stated that Mr. Brooks claims he was to secure the contract for removing the dirt. The court authorized Mr. Lane to proceed with the work and accepted his bond with T. E. Ford as surety.

The bond of S. B. Gholson, who secured the contract for graveling the Oaks station road, was approved with the American Surety company as surety. The bond of Sanders Brooks, who secured the contract for additional concrete work on the Clark's river bridge was approved with Mrs. C. H. Brooks as surety.

It was decided that all paupers receiving aid from the county, who have not reported and do not report at the April meeting or have a representative present, will be dropped from the pauper fund. This is done to eliminate unworthy cases.

The road supervisor was authorized to advertise for bids for the grading and working of the dirt roads. In order that the work may be done promptly, it was decided not to award the Seventh and Eighth districts to one man. The bids will be opened at the April meeting.

At noon the court adjourned until this afternoon, when the remainder of the business was disposed of before adjournment. The proposition for the county to purchase some road graders is to be discussed this afternoon.

Those present today were: County Judge Albert W. Barkley, and Magistrate U. S. Walston, C. W. Emery, Charles Ross, Baxter Kuykendall, Green Bennett, John J. Bleich, James Householder and G. M. Spitzer.

Mrs. Ed Riley, of South Fourth street, is recovering from an injury to her foot as the result of stepping on a nail last week.

## Buggy Overturns and Nearly Drowns Trio

Overtaken in a swift current, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Derrington and little two-year-old son had a narrow escape from drowning in the backwater of Mayfield creek near Melber yesterday. Fortunately Mr. Derrington rescued Mrs. Derrington and their little son, and they were little worse off except for the fright and cold ducking.

They were returning to their home in Melber after a visit to relatives near Paducah. The backwater over the road, and in the swift current a log had been washed on the roadway. One of the wheels of the

buggy struck the obstruction and the buggy was turned over in four feet of water. They were thrown clear of the overturned buggy, but it was with difficulty that they waded out, as the current was running swiftly. At the time of the accident the little son was sitting on his mother's lap and was thrown several feet from her in the water. When the boy arose to the surface Mr. Derrington rescued the lad.

The horse was frightened and started running out of the swollen stream, but was stopped in a short distance. Neighbors went to the rescue of the unfortunate people.

### Robbed of Her Jewels

New York, March 1.—While she was in the bath, diamonds and jewelry valued at \$50,000 were stolen from the dressing room of Mrs. Sanford Erlanger, wife of a New York stock broker, in her apartment in the Ansonia last Thursday.

## MINISTERS SAVE GOVERNMENT FOR FEW WEEKS MORE

Neither Conservatives Nor Liberals Anxious For Another Election.

Financial Questions Have Right of Way.

### BUDGET BEFORE THE LORDS.

London, March 1.—Charging that the public lands, amounting to one-fifth the total area of Wales, has been "grabbed" by aristocratic freebooters in the last century, the representatives of Carmarvonshire county council arrived in London today, asking governmental aid in recovering from the principal property which they say has been despoiled.

### Liberals Postpone Crisis.

In the session of the house of commons, the outcome of which was awaited as eagerly as the denouement of a most exciting tragedy by all the members of both houses able to pack themselves into the chamber, Premier Asquith's government obtained a lease of life until after Easter.

This was the gift of the conservatives, who were so anxious to avoid two general elections successively within so brief a period that they accepted the premier's program without calling for a vote.

When the house of commons meets after Easter it will take up the struggle to revolutionize the British government system. Resolutions will be presented to deprive the house of lords of all authority over finances and also of the power of vetoing the measures of the lower house, leaving to the lords only the functions of delay and discussion.

If this plan succeeds, the government proposes next year to proceed with the transformation of the house of lords from an hereditary to a democratic body.

### Asquith Move Adopted.

The premier's motion, giving government business precedence with every sitting up to March 24, was adopted without division. In laying down the government's program, Mr. Asquith emphasized the necessity of proceeding with financial business first and he said that after that would come the question of reforming the house of lords. The financial legislation, he declared, would be confined to the army and navy bills and other urgent demands which would occupy the whole attention of the house up to the Easter adjournment.

With regard to the house of lords, he hopes that chamber will agree with the proposed plan, but whether it did or not, the government intended to place on the statute books a provision which would set free the house of commons from the veto of the lords.

After his speech Mr. Asquith was greeted with loud ministerial cheers, mingled with Unionist cries of "where is the budget?"

### PROTESTS AGAINST EAST TENNESSEE TELEPHONE.

Protests against the city permitting a telephone of the East Tennessee Telephone company remaining in the Central fire station will be placed before the general council next Monday night. The Central Labor Union, the Typographical union and several other unions have mailed protests to the boards asking that the order giving the permission be rescinded.

## OPERATORS AND B. & O. AGREE

STRIKE FOR HIGHER WAGES FOR KEYMEN IS COMPROMISED.

Baltimore, March 1.—It is officially announced this afternoon that a conference between the telegraphers' committee and officials of the B. & O. railroad, regarding the wage scale has been concluded and an amicable settlement satisfactory to both sides has been reached. The operators asked a ten per cent increase.

### Quiet at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, March 1.—Workmen are today planning a monster street parade to end at the city hall Thursday when the city council is in session discussing arbitration.

No disorder occurred last night. It was the first yet without some kind of rioting. Rain fell in sheets and thousands, who have been walking, were compelled to use the cars. The company declares today it operated over half the regular number of cars yesterday.

## Pinchot Will Not Tell About His Talk With President Concerning Ballinger Matter to Committee

Resumes His Testimony Today and Will Remain on Stand Throughout Week—What Congress is Doing.

Washington, March 1.—When the Ballinger committee met today Pinchot was again on the stand. It is expected Pinchot will occupy all the time of the committee during the three sessions scheduled for this week.

Presidential conversations won't be admitted in evidence to be brought before the congressional committee. After a short executive session today it was announced that Pinchot's attorney would not press a decision on the question coming up Saturday, whether the witness be permitted to relate the substance of conversations with the president. The decision by "prosecution" relieved the committee of the dilemma of ruling on the subject.

### Report Forestry Measure.

Washington, March 1.—The week's Lever to create a forest reserve in the White and Appalachian mountains will be reported in a few days by the house committee on agriculture. The bill will carry an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the first year according to indications. It will provide that the support of the reserve including acquisition of additional land shall be borne out of returns from the sale of timber.

### Futures Bill Faces Fall.

Washington, March 1.—The bill to prevent gambling in cotton futures will be reported from the house committee probably this week. Two members of the committee agree that while the bill will have a favorable report it does not stand a reasonable chance of getting through the house, and should it do so there is no reason to hope the senate would pass it.

### Dickinson Refutes Charges.

Washington, March 1.—Secretary of War Dickinson today went before the senate committee on interoceanic canals and answered the charge that he had aided transcontinental railroads by his failure to encourage the proposed establishment of an independent steamship line to carry business by the way of the isthmus of Panama. He showed conclusively that the proposition presented by B. N. Baker of Baltimore was of such a radical character that acceptance would have been in violation of authority vested in him as secretary of war in any cabinet official.

## ALLEGHENY RISES AT PITTSBURGH

ASSUMES THAT CITY OF A "DANGER STAGE"—AT WHEELING.

Pittsburgh, March 1.—A further rise in the Allegheny river this evening is expected to bring the flood to a 25 foot stage, three above the danger line. The reports from Wheeling give the stage of the Ohio at 28.1 feet, about 8 below the danger point. A flood stage of 36 feet is expected. An ice gorge 10 miles above New-castle, Pa., in the Neshaunook river, threatens to flood the town when it breaks. The gorge moved slightly last night and a big steel bridge in its path was carried 400 feet down the stream.

## Chicago Market.

	May—	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	1.15 1/4	1.14 1/4	1.14 1/4	
Corn	.66 1/4	.65 1/4	.65 1/4	
Oats	.47 1/4	.47 1/4	.47 1/4	
Prov.	25.00	24.67	24.97	
Lard	13.30	13.20	13.30	
Ribs	12.97	12.80	12.95	

St. Louis, March 1.—The ten dollar hog arrived in St. Louis today when a carload lot was sold at the National stock yards at that price. The market quotation for best hogs was \$9.90 the hundredweight, but a private sale of a car load at 10 cents higher is believed to be the forerunner of a general boost in the market.

### The Hog Market.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 1.—The hog market reached the highest point in the history of Indianapolis today when the best hogs were quoted at \$10.15. Dealers expect the \$11 mark to be reached before prices fall.

## TWO PRISON BILLS PASS BOTH HOUSES OF LEGISLATURE

One Makes Reformatory of Prison and Other Parole Law.

Rules Committee Seeks to Secure Control.

### SENATE ADJOURNS TOO QUICK.

Frankfort, Ky., March 1. (Special).—The bill giving women the right of suffrage in school elections was passed by the senate last night with property qualifications as an amendment. The senate last night killed the bond bill, after it had apparently been passed. Senator Eaton made a point of order that it required a two-thirds vote and was sustained.

In the senate an effort to have the rules committee take charge 12 instead of 10 days before the close of the session caused a long debate and finally Cox ruled the orders of the day in order and cut off the question under discussion. Conn Linn appealed. Linn's appeal was sustained but the senate adjourned before a vote could be taken on the change in the rules.

The house passed the senate bill, changing one prison into a reformatory school.

In the house the new prison parole bill passed. It has already passed the senate.

### Appellate Court Bill.

House bill No. 3 (Carter) providing for the printing of all court of appeals opinions in the form of a substitute approved by the author, came up for passage. It provides that a reporter of the appellate court shall have printed all the opinions of the court. Mr. Carter said that at present only those opinions so indicated are printed, and that if attorneys desire to get the other reports they must be purchased from the "West Printing company."

Mr. McVean said that he thought the bill aimed to destroy competition and compel the purchase of these reports from one source.

Mr. Holland said that the bill is a fair and equitable one. He said that there is already a reporter of the appellate court and that no new offices have been created, although this officer's salary is increased from \$1,000 to \$2,400.

Mr. Graves offered an amendment providing that the court of appeals shall be required to recognize the opinions of any publishing house.

Mr. Carter said that the amendment sought to abrogate the rules of the court of appeals. He said the passage of the amendment would be an insult to the court of appeals.

During the taking of the vote on the amendment the "third housemen" were active in opposing it. By this time it became whispered about that the Frankfort Printing company was much interested in the success of the bill.

Efforts to recommit the bill failed. The sentiment expressed was that this bill placed in the hands of the politicians the printing of the appellate court reports. The bill was passed 55 to 16.

## TAFT MEASURES WILL BE RUSHED

CONFERENCE DECIDES TO PUT EASY ONES OVER FIRST.

Washington, March 1.—An important conference on Taft's chances to further his legislative program was held at the white house this afternoon when Senator Aldrich, "Uncle Joe" Cannon and Attorney General Wickersham spent two hours with the president discussing the situation. Every measure that has been sent to congress with the presidential endorsement was taken up in detail. The leaders discussed various points in the measures, which are meeting with opposition and scrutinized the merits of the objection. At the president's suggestion it was concluded that they shall get behind the bills plainly favored by majority in each house and rush them through as rapidly as possible. Then the president thinks the way will be sufficiently cleared to allow the consideration of the disputed measures without interfering with the others.

Conductor Mike Holehan, who was operated upon for mastoid trouble at Riverside hospital, will be removed to his home, 910 Chay street, this afternoon.



# AT THE KENTUCKY

**Wednesday**  
MARCH

**2**

Curtain 8:15

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**3**

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## News of Theatres

"Buster Brown," that irrepressible youngster, will be seen at the Kentucky theater Wednesday, March 2. The management offers an entirely new production this season. Splendid scenery and costumes and a company of experienced capable artists.

The company presenting Powell & Cohan's music play, "The Yankee Doodle Boy," is unusually strong vocally. Each principal is a soloist. The result is a singing show of extraordinary merit. Last season's music has been discarded and ten bright, new, original song hits are now being introduced. The same noteworthy production of last season is being carried in its entirety and one of the most enjoyable evenings of the season will be spent next Thursday night at the Kentucky theater.

There is possibly no more popular comedian on the stage today than genial and artistic Tim Murphy, who comes to us each year with something good. This season he is bringing

ing us "Cupid and the Dollar." Among his players will be Dorothy Sherrod, who has the opposite role to him, and who is so well known through her work in his support during past seasons. Mr. Murphy is under the management of Louis F. Werba. This excellent company will fill an engagement at the Kentucky theater March 10.

"The Traveling Salesman," by James Forbes, the author of "The Chorus Lady," is to be seen at the Kentucky theater for one performance at an early date. The play is in four acts and the theme is taken from some incidents in real life that takes the well known commercial traveler as its central figure.

"The House With a Thousand Candles" will be at the Kentucky theater on Thursday, March 11. The stage settings for the four acts are carried, while the company is practically the same as appeared in the original representation.

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DEMOCRATS.

Disruption is Feared and Members of  
Democratic Party Say All Pledges  
Have Been Broken.

ECONOMY PLATFORM A JOKE

Frankfort, Ky., March 1.—The name of Senator Claude M. Thomas, of Bourbon, is being prominently mentioned as a candidate for governor on the Democratic ticket, as a representative of the temperance and anti-machine element. Senator Thomas has made a reputation during the present session which would give him much prestige if he gets into the race.

Democrats Being Split Up.  
"Not in many years has the Democratic party in Kentucky been split as badly as at present, and this split promises to grow wider as time passes. By the time of the adjournment of the present session of the legislature the Democrats of the state will be flying at each other's throat asking each to strangle, politically, the other. Again, by the time the next Democratic state convention rolls around this condition will, if possible, be aggravated, and the end no one can tell."

The above is the expression of a Democratic member of the legislature who is watching, with much concern, the course which the majority in the two houses of the assembly is adopting. While this one legislator, and others, express themselves freely on this proposition, there are many others who agree with them, but are not publicly expressing themselves.

It is the "machine," which is the Democratic party," which is causing the political middle-of-the-roads of the Democratic party to lay awake at nights figuring what the result will be. The principal trouble, of course, grows out of the temperance question. The people of the country are up in arms, and members of the majority party, returning from their respective homes after vacations, wear long faces. They tell of wheel horses who in the past could always be relied upon, coming out openly and declaring that never again will they support a Democratic ticket with the machine in control. The vitriolic editorials being penned by former Governor Beckham are causing the Democrats of the state to sit up and take notice, and it is not exaggerated to say that probably never before in the history of the party in the state has it been so disrupted as now.

Intent on Rending Treasury.  
While the machine is tearing open wider every day the wounds in the rural districts, the conditions at Louisville are being far from improved by the character of the legislation heretofore, been a custom for members of the legislature from outside the larger cities to support any measure pertaining to a certain city which the senators and representatives from that city want. But, when the various bills asking more money for Jefferson began to pour in, suspicion was aroused and some of the Democrats openly opposed the proposed raids on the treasury. This was evidenced when the bill increasing the emoluments of the circuit clerk's office at Louisville was passed in the house. It did not come near polling the strength of the majority.

Next to Machine Program.  
The word went around, in some way, that the circuit clerk was getting \$5,000 per year, and that he had fees on top of this with which to pay his deputies; that former clerks had lived on this salary and fees, and had paid their assistants. It also was suggested that a little more effort in collecting the fees would give the clerk plenty of money.

Under the proposed law \$2.75 additional for every felony case tried in Jefferson county will go to the circuit clerk.

Forgetting Economy Pledges.  
The other plunges into the treasury of Jefferson county provided for in bills pending before the legislature, most all of which have passed one of the two houses, doubtless will be pleasing to those voters and taxpayers who elected the present county administration on an economy platform. This condition will give a slight idea of what may be expected if the Democracy is again put in power in the state. With the treasury in Jefferson being made the object of repeated raids, to the dissatisfaction of the taxpayers, with machine rule in the county and state, and with the country Democrats further disgusted by the betrayal of the temperance supporters among them, it will be seen that, as a whole, the party has cooked up a nice kettle of fish.

Stanley Favors Johnson.  
Washington, March 1.—In an interview which Representative A. O. Stanley gave the Washington Post he said: "I believe that Representative Ben Johnson will be the Democratic candidate for the governorship. He will be popular and strong with the voters. I do not know whom the Republicans will name."

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TECHNIQUE OF  
CLASS INSTRUCTION.

Meeting March 11, 1910.

To avoid waste and loss, class technique is absolutely necessary. Principles of methods are primarily based on a study of individual mind. It is impossible in our crowded public schools to give individual instruction. Group, or mass, teaching requires the teacher's best efforts.

Class instruction demands, as a basic principle, the attention of all the pupils in the class (group) to the recitation, and, at the same time, the class (group) studying must pay attention to the subject assigned for study.

The teacher must so assign the lesson to one group that it may study without interfering with her attempt to teach (not simply hear) the recitation in the other group, at the same time.

This is the very important principle of class handling (technique) and until the teacher learns to handle a reciting group and a studying group, so that the one does not interfere with the other, she will not succeed in preventing waste of time, effort and results.

Study carefully the classes of textbooks mentioned by Hagley. Remember a text-book is not the only book that the pupils should consult, and especially in the grammar grades and the high school it is simply a guide to study.

Reference books, supplementary books, apparatus, maps, etc., are all to be used by pupils and teachers in the study of any given subject or topic in the higher grades.

The teacher who is a slave to the text-book and not a master of the text, is always the weak and ineffective teacher. Paducah teachers want to be masters not servants, artists not artisans, in their work.

Preparation, initiative, common sense, optimism, are all essentials to such a mastery of the technique of the school room and its duties.

Assign lessons carefully so that pupils will not waste their time in wandering through the woods. See pages 203 to 213 for a very helpful discussion of assignment and study of the lesson. This is a most important subject and should be read and read.

J. A. CARNAGEY.

No Substitute.

Accept no substitute for Foley's Honey and Tar. It is the best and safest remedy for coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles. Contains no opiates and no harmful drugs. Remember the name, Foley's Honey and Tar, and accept no substitutes.—Gilbert's Drug Store.

Weston Covers 60 Miles.  
Albuquerque, N. M., March 1.—Leaving McCarty's station this morning, Edward Payson Weston arrived at Sandia, having walked sixty miles today.

**Do You Ever**  
**Examine the**  
**Companies**  
**Behind Your**  
**Fire Insurance**  
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ILLNESS.

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Many Positions in Public Life in  
His Native State.

WAS ONCE CHIEF JUSTICE

Morgantown, Ky., March 1.—After an illness of some weeks' duration, having its origin in a severe attack of grip, Judge B. L. D. Guffy, former chief justice of the court of appeals, died Sunday afternoon. Judge Guffy's illness was aggravated by the run-away accident which caused the death of his son, Estill Guffy, who was on his way to Morgantown to spend Christmas with his father and mother. Mrs. Guffy has also been ill for some time, and it is feared she will not recover.

Sketch of His Career.

B. L. D. Guffy was born in Logan county, Kentucky, December 24, 1832, and was reared on a farm, where he obtained a common school education. He came to Morgantown when about 21 years old and taught school in this and adjoining counties, and began the study and practice of law at this place. He met Miss Mahalia Monroe while teaching school in Ohio county and married her at her home near Pozine, Ky., a few years before the war. When he first started out as a lawyer, the local papers noticed his entry in the practice of law by publishing these lines: "Wake up, snakes, and come to law. For Baylus Guffy is practicing law."

His first official work was taking the census. He was first elected county judge here in 1862 as a Democrat, and succeeded himself in 1866 as a Unionist or Republican. In 1871 Judge T. S. Carson succeeded him as county judge, and he caught the western fever and moved to Lincoln, Neb., in June, 1871, but only remained there six months, returning here and taking up his law practice again. In 1874 he made the race for county judge in this county and only received about 40 votes on some kind of a fusion ticket. In 1876 he ran for congress on the Greenback ticket, and was defeated. In 1878 he was elected county judge on the Greenback ticket and defeated the same man who defeated him in 1874. His opponent only received about 40 votes, the same as Guffy had before, and in 1882 he was re-elected on the Greenback ticket, defeating the same man whom he had run against in 1874. In 1878 he won by a majority of one vote.

Elected Appellate Judge.  
In 1891 he ran for attorney general of Kentucky on the People's Party ticket and was defeated. In 1894 he was elected judge of the court of appeals, and in 1892 he was defeated for re-election. In 1893 he was elected state senator from this district.

He was one of the commissioners from Kentucky to the world's fair at St. Louis, and was a delegate to the national convention which nominated Lincoln and also to several other national conventions. He was a delegate from the state-at-large to the Hearst convention in 1907 and was robbed of his watch, which he had carried for a long time, in Evansville, Ind., as he returned.

Being asked once why he had affiliated with so many different political parties, he replied that a smart man would change his mind, but that a fool never did.

His children were: E. D. Guffy, killed last November; Mrs. John M. Carson, of Morgantown; Mrs. S. J. Thompson, of Henderson; Mrs. J. B. Render, of Louisville; Speed Guffy, who died some time ago; Miss Cora Guffy, of Morgantown; B. L. Guffy, of Hayti, Mo., postmaster and attorney there; Mrs. Leroy D. Householder, of Toledo, O., and Mrs. Will T. Campbell, of Cairo, Ill.

A Night Alarm.  
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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
JUDGE STRIKES SENATE

Washington, March 1.—In an opinion, requiring two hours to read, Justice Wright, of the supreme court, District of Columbia, administered a scathing rebuke to the United States senate. He held that the court had jurisdiction over the actions of the joint congressional committee on printing, because it is constituted by statute. He emphatically advocated that "no person is above law, no matter how exalted his station."

Auction Sale.

The following articles will be sold for storage at the storage room of Lewis & Etter, 908 South Fifth, March 5th. This furniture is high-class merchandise, first-class condition, and was the property of Mrs. Pauline Meyers: Large box bedding, book case, small box household goods, side board, couch, folding bed, wardrobe, ice cream freezer and contents, mirror, bed mattress, center table, 6 common chairs, 2 parlor chairs, rocking chair, dining table, chiffonier, center table, tub with contents. Sale starts at 10 o'clock.

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## The Evening Sun's Daily Markets.

**Tobacco Market.**  
Hopkinsville, Ky., March 1.—The bullish conditions of the local tobacco market continued without any sign of a let-up throughout the past week. Prices more than kept up their high record that has been gradually working up to, for advances ranging from 25c to 50c per 100 pounds were noted on many grades, this being on loose tobacco. The dealers themselves are at a loss to account for the continued high prices, for there is now only a small portion of the crop remaining unsold, not enough to justify the constantly increasing prices that are being paid. The buyers have bought enormously direct from the farmers, and are still doing so, but still the demand shows no indication of abatement.

Receipts last week showed a big increase over the preceding week, when the bad weather interfered considerably, but even at that they were comparatively small with other weeks owing to the small amount available for sale now.

**Stock Market.**  
Louisville, Ky., March 1.—The receipts of cattle were 1,237 head, as against 1,015 last Monday, 1,487 two weeks ago and 1,677 a year ago. In addition to the receipts of today, there were several carloads of Chicago cattle on sale that arrived Friday and Saturday. The attendance of buyers was about as usual. The local talent was well represented and several out-of-town buyers here. Trading was reasonably active on fat cattle, and everything desirable in the butcher cattle line changed hands at an advance of 10¢ to 15¢ over the best time of last week. Handy weights were the most sought after. Medium and common kinds steady to firm. Native feeders and stockers were steady to firm. Common and plain grades slow. Western feeders and stockers slow and about steady. Bulls strong and higher. Canners and cutters steady. Good, heavy shipping cattle were strong. The pens were well cleared.

**Cattle.**  
Receipts, 219. The market ruled steady. Best, 8¢ to 8½¢. Some fancy higher. Medium, 5½¢ to 7½¢; common, 2½¢ to 5¢.

**Hogs.**  
Receipts, 2,697 head, as against 2,420 last Monday, 4,084 a year ago and 3,246 two years ago. The market was generally steady except on light pigs. They were very dull and 30c lower. Selected 165 lbs. and up selling at \$9.75; 130 to 165 lbs. \$9.35; pigs ranged from \$8.25 for light pigs to \$9 for heavy pigs; roughs, \$9.20 down.

**Sheep and Lambs.**  
Receipts, 2,697 head, as against 74 last Monday, 39 a year ago and 116 two years ago. The market was quiet and unchanged. Best fat sheep 3½¢ to 4½¢; best lambs 6¢ to 7c. Some fancy a shade better. Common sheep and lambs dull.

**St. Louis, March 1.—Cattle—**Receipts, 2,000 including 500 Texans; market strong to 10c higher; native beef steers \$4.70 to \$5.10; cows and heifers \$3.85 to \$6.75; stockers and feeders \$3.50 to \$5.25; heifers \$3.60 to \$5.60; calves in carload lots \$8.50 to \$10. Hogs—Receipts 10,500; market strong; pigs and lights \$7.25 to \$9.60; packers \$9.40 to \$9.65; butchers and best heavy \$9.45 to \$9.75. Sheep—Receipts 1,500; market steady; native muttons \$4.25 to \$7.25; lambs \$7.50 to \$9.25. Hogs sold at the stock yards here for \$9.85 a hundred weight, 10 cents higher than the previous record.

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**Pittsfield, Pa., March 1.—Miss** Mollie F. Nahl, who conducted a matrimonial agency at Tanawaka, was arrested and is being held for trial charged with using the mails to defraud. The complainant is Charles N. Wang, of Liner, Minn.

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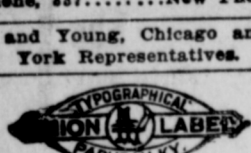
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Personally appeared before me this 3rd day of February, 1910, R. D. MacMillan, Business Manager of The Sun, who affirms that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of its circulation for the month of January, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PUMPEAR,  
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 10, 1912.

## Daily Thought.

Labor to keep alive in your breast that little spark of celestial fire called conscience.—George Washington.

Cairo hears a rumor of a new paper.

Nothing leonine about today, is there?

A woman in Denver stabbed herself with a hatpin; a St. Louis lady hanged herself with her skirt binding, and a girl of St. Joe giggled herself to death. Thus doth the temporal feminine merge without alteration into the eternal feminine.

## GET THE SELLER AS WELL AS THE VICTIM.

Another cocaine victim tried to batter his way into a house on the north side last night and was run down by the police after he had fallen over a twenty foot embankment and knocked himself senseless. He was then caught easily; but that isn't the end of the matter, as the citizens see it. How about catching the fellow that sold him the cocaine? That is more important. We have known victims of cocaine to be lynched for what they did while under its influence; yet the victims are infinitely higher in the moral scale than the man, who sells it to them.

## AN EXTENSION WOULD PAY.

If the cost of furnishing municipal protection to newly acquired territory in the event of an extension of the city limits, is the only factor that stands in the way of a favorable report by the councilmanic committee, we can soon set their minds at ease on that score and prepare the way for them to conscientiously recommend an extension of the city limits, so that Paducah shall have in the census report, the population to which she is justly entitled. Fire protection for that territory will be afforded by the new station on Broadway, which will be established, regardless of the question of extending the city limits. So that will add nothing to the expense. Paducah has plenty of policemen to patrol the additional territory; so there will be no additional expense for that. The people themselves will pay for paving streets, and building sidewalks and sewers, and whatever incidental expense falls on the city, will be more than made up by the increased revenues, for the extension should increase the assessment fully \$2,000,000, adding fully \$40,000 to the revenue of the city and \$10,000 to the schools. If it is only a question of economy, the general council need hesitate not one second.

## JUDGE GUFFY.

The late Judge Guffy, of Morgan town, was a man of many parties at a time when public sentiment was in a chaotic condition. The Whigs had disappeared, the Democratic party had gone down in defeat before the new Republican party, and ancestral ties were broken. So each new national issue was espoused by some new national party. He left the Democratic party and was one of the Lincoln delegates at the birth of the Republican party; he was a Greenbacker and a Populist, and was a leader in all of them. He sat in the legislature and presided as chief justice over the sittings of the court

of appeals. He was a man of parts, full of wit, popular and trusted by his own people.

## DEMOCRATS DEFEND THE GOVERNOR.

On this page today The Evening Sun reproduces editorials by two "regular" Democratic editors, concerning the use of soldiers by Governor Willson in crushing the outlaws in the Black Patch; one from the Hopkinsville Kentuckian and the other from the Mayfield Messenger. Editor Meacham, of the Kentuckian, is a Democrat and was elected mayor of Hopkinsville on that ticket, and he held the office of mayor during the night rider raid on Hopkinsville. He speaks from knowledge at first hand. Col. James Lemon, editor of the Mayfield Messenger, was never known to give any quarter to Republicans in a fair fight, and while his inclination is ever to be as just as the exigencies of politics will permit, we feel certain he knew he was representing the sentiment of all law-abiding citizens, Republican and Democrat, when he penned the editorial, concluding with the admonition to "give to Governor Willson all the honor due him."

The Louisville ring is responsible for the report of the legislative committee, condemning the governor, and Attorney Charles Carroll, who wrote the report, is the man in whose behalf the calendar of the lower house was surreptitiously altered, so that the Louisville ripper bill, abolishing the office of city attorney, could be advanced for the purpose of ousting the incumbent and making an opportunity to appoint Mr. Carroll to the same position under another title. The reading public will remember the clerk was allowed the privilege of explaining that he did not tamper with the calendar, and the lieutenant governor took occasion to warn the clerk of the senate to keep an eye on that bill to prevent it being slipped up on him.

The Louisville crowd, which has been pushing to the front in the legislature, which they control, bills to increase the salaries of Jefferson county officials to the hindrance of all other business, probably have been talking with night riders, and received the wrong impression of the attitude of western Kentucky people. The Louisville crowd has it in for the adjutant general, a Democrat and a Confederate veteran, and they saw a chance to abuse him and score the governor, who appointed him, hence the report.

Their mistake is easy to comprehend, since night riders knew no politics. Over in the Third judicial district, where most of the trouble occurred and where there were indictments for night riding, Democratic and Republican night riders voted together in self-defense. Law-abiding citizens, Democrats and Republicans, clung to their own parties, but while less demonstrative, they have not forgotten the service rendered by the governor and his militia, and we are glad to see the Messenger standing by its convictions and the sentiments of the good people it represents.

## STATE PRESS.

### Farmers at the Front.

The farmers in the big county of Graves have determined that they must have better roads. The fiscal court has been unable to see how the work could be done, owing to the county's financial condition. Last week a large delegation of farmers appeared before the court and submitted a plan for beginning in July the betterment of the principal roads. The court has adopted the plan and by next fall Graves county will have made a good start toward a system of improved highways.

Briefly, the program submitted by the farmers is as follows: The road hands, allowed by law, to take one of the county graders and grade the roads in the several magisterial districts; the county to use the money that has been expended heretofore in grading and expend it in graveling the principal thoroughfares leading from the county seat to the county lines, the roads to be improved in the order of their importance; the farmers agree to haul the gravel at \$1.50 a day, nine hours to constitute a day, each farmer to supply a wagon with the capacity to haul a cubic yard of gravel at a load and to furnish team and driver, the county bearing the expense of digging and loading the gravel; the farmers also agree to donate to the county any branch or creek gravel on their farms to be used for grading roads that pass by or through such farms.

On a plan similar to this it is possible for any county in the state to make a substantial beginning for a system of good roads. It has worked to good effect in some of the western Kentucky counties, it being possible thereby to make valuable improvements at a minimum cost. No county is in such impoverished financial condition as to render it impossible to start a modest scheme of betterment, and one good road calls for another.

Reports from Mayfield say that the meeting of the farmers with the fiscal court showed "the best and most enthusiastic interest on the part of the people for good roads ever demonstrated in Mayfield." With such a spirit on the part of the farmers, who, of all men, should be most interested in the subject, there is reason to believe that Graves county will not long continue under the thralldom of bad roads.—Courier-Journal.

## Democrat Papers Defend Governor

### Mayfield Messenger.

While we are not much for the use of the military in times of peace, yet we can't condemn Governor Willson so much, as did the committee, which has just made its report before the legislature.

The country in many parts was very much disturbed by "night riders," and many lawless acts were committed by unlawful hands of people, who would ride about over the country at night destroy property and terrify the people. The local authorities either refused or failed to put down this lawlessness and what else could a governor do, who stood for the protection of the people of his commonwealth. The expense of saving the country and bringing about peace and harmony in the "dark tobacco patch" may be high, but it had to be done and was done regardless of the cost.

If these local disturbances had not been put an end to, when they were, an insurrection would have been the result, which would have cost, perhaps, millions of dollars and hundreds of lives before peace could have again been restored.

Don't condemn the governor too much, for it may be the end justified the means. War cost money and so do violations of law, and all the state has to do is to pay the bills and stop kicking and give to Governor Willson all the honor due him.—Mayfield Messenger.

### Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

The joint committee on military affairs, with no evidence before it to substantiate its report, has severely criticised Gov. Willson for his conduct in suppressing the "night riders" of western Kentucky by sending soldiers into counties whose local authorities were either controlled or terrorized by the lawless bands that were nightly going forth to shoot and burn. Of the justice of the strictures upon Gov. Willson for his reorganization of the First regiment, the Kentuckian knows nothing, but the charges that money was unnecessarily or extravagantly expended in breaking up the bands of night riders it knows much and knows that the charges are untrue. Whatever may be Gov. Willson's faults—and he has the grievous one of being a blind partisan, who does not always keep his campaign pledges—the state owes him a debt of gratitude for his patriotic services in restoring law and order in western Kentucky. The report says it cost \$189,000 to do it, and no money was ever more wisely spent in Kentucky. His "night rider" campaign did much to redeem the good name of Kentucky, and was of far more benefit to the state than the present general assembly can possibly accomplish.

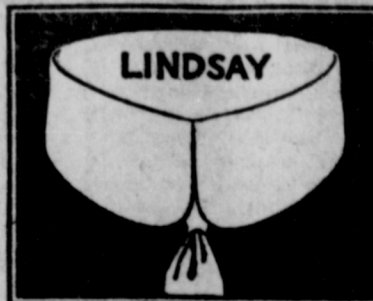
At the time his 300 soldier boys—as brave a band as ever risked their lives in any war—were put in the field it was openly boasted that 10,000 outlaws were in a position to defy the courts, trample upon the laws and overrun the country at night to murder, destroy and intimidate, raiding cities, shooting into houses and driving women into insane asylums. The reign of terror, for the lack of a stronger arm to cope it, had spread into an incipient revolution, an armed rebellion against the state's authority.

Three days after one of the mob's worst raids upon an unprotected town Gov. Willson came into office. The people had appealed for protection, for permission to have a detail from their own military company placed on duty at night, but the request was denied. The invasion came and the sleeping town put up the best defense it could, rousing the people in time to at least pursue and kill a few of the fleeing outlaws. The soldiers were called out and were on duty when Gov. Willson assumed office. He acted with vigor and decision. He strengthened the militia, established headquarters and put resolute and experienced officers in command with orders to break up night riding. Let it be said to his everlasting praise that he never weakened, even when threatened with personal violence, but continued his policy until peace was restored.

He soon found that the counties whose local officials would not ask for soldiers were the very counties that harbored "night riders" who preyed upon the people of other counties. His patrol system, by which mounted men were sent to break up unlawful meetings, at an expense of \$10,000, finally did the work. The leaders left the country, the bands were broken up and the people, once freed from intimidation, had courage to talk. The soldiers soon knew where the "night riders" were and where they held their meetings. Their identity once established, the rest was easy. Soldiers and federal courts soon did what county officials and local courts had failed to do—stopped the reign of terror.

The legislature committee only covers itself with shame by condemning a government for upholding the law. The thinly veiled defense of the "night riders" praising them with faint commendation, is most humiliating to every good citizen who knows the facts.

The Democrats in the general assembly, some of them under indictment themselves, and others under open charges of corruption from one of their own members, can do no greater service to the Republicans in the coming campaign than by making night riding an issue with



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## Kentucky Kernels

H. C. Stone, farmer, of near Paris, drops dead.

Monroe Yates and Bertha Collins marry at Mayfield.

Robert Parrott and Floy Milster, of Ohio county, marry.

Mrs. Thomas Downs dies at Farmington, of consumption.

Robert Beadles and Fannie Masterson marry at Mayfield.

Robert B. Geophegan, 52, dies of heart failure at Louisville.

Glidden tour pathfinding automobile passes through Lexington.

Marvin Pigue, formerly of Fulton, fatally cut in fight in Missouri.

Virgil Starns sentenced to two years for killing father at Somerset.

Four-year-old son of Wiley Tolliver burned to death by open fire near Whitesburg.

J. L. Smithson and brother A. J. Smithson, of near Mayfield, file petitions of bankruptcy.

J. B. Wallace, patient in city hospital at Louisville, leaps out of second story window and is killed.

Mrs. R. H. Yantis, mother of United States Commissioner S. S. Yantis, of Lexington, dies in Fleming county.

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## COKE CRAZED

### NEGRO GIVES POLICE CHASE ACROSS "THE DUMP."

### Frightens Neighborhood of Fourth and Clay Streets With His Antics.

Jim Wood, colored, alleged to have been brimful of a mixture of bad booze and "coke," furnished excitement for the corps of nurses at Riverside hospital, citizens in the vicinity of Fourth and Clay streets and the police department at midnight last night. He was finally held at bay on the Illinois Central railroad fill below the hospital. Talking chances to escape, Wood turned towards the river. He stumbled and fell head-first to the damp and soggy earth 20 feet below and was picked up unconscious by the police and taken to the city lock-up.

Wood first made his appearance at Fourth and Clay streets, when he smashed a rear window leading into the kitchen of Frank Wahl's residence, 530 North Fourth street. Mr. Wahl was awakened by the crash, but little suspected a burglar. Thinking that some part of the furniture had fallen he did not investigate. Nurses at the hospital saw Wood, who, after failing to gain entrance through the window, left the yard. He started toward the hospital grounds across Clay street, yelling and cursing.

Miss Price, one of the nurses, became alarmed and telephoned Capt. John Dorian at police headquarters. The patrol wagon, with Thad Terrell and Patrolmen Smith, Shrader and Shelton, was sent on a hurry run, but in the meantime the porter at the hospital had succeeded in routing Wood, who fled across the hollow back of the hospital. When the police arrived they gave chase and followed him to the embankment.

When picked up, Wood was literally foaming at the mouth. A large hole in the soft ground had been made by his fall.

This morning City Physician W. J. Bass examined him in the jail. He will be kept there today. It is believed he was crazed by the "coke." A charge of drunk and disorderly had been preferred against him.

### IF IT'S ONLY A HEADACHE.

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### New Cairo Chief.

Cairo, Ill., March 1.—It comes from a very reliable source that there is to be a change in the head of the police department soon, and that Chief Mart Egan has resigned or intends to resign from that position to accept the office of wharfmaster for the Cairo trust property. It is also stated that Patrick Mahoney will be appointed chief of police to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Egan's resignation. Mr. Mahoney has been city marshal of Cairo under many administrations.

## THREE BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED

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### REPORTS FOR SECOND MONTH.

Three building permits were issued by City Engineer L. A. Washington in February, one being for the erection of the ten-story skyscraper of the City National bank, the largest and most costly office building ever erected in Paducah. The permit taken out shows the total cost will be \$200,000. The building will be erected on the northwest corner of Fourth street and Broadway and excavations are now being made by Contractor Welkel. It is to be constructed of steel, stone, brick and other materials.

The other permits issued were to F. W. Katterjohn for a one-story brick building on Jefferson street between Sixth and Seventh streets. Its cost will be \$1,750. The third permit was to L. E. N. Iverlett for a \$600 frame building at the corner of Sixth and Bachman streets.

### Burial Permits.

City Clerk Maurice McIntyre issued 28 burial permits during the month of February. Twenty-one were for white people and seven for colored.

### Police Record.

The total number of arrests made by the police during February was 111. Sixty were white men, 36 colored men, 6 white women and 9 colored women. January's record shows the total number of arrests to have been 136. Following are the different arrests and charges for last month: Malicious cutting, 3; house-breaking, 2; horse stealing, 1; obtaining money, 1; arson, 1; murder, 1; robbery, 1; petit larceny, 6; fugitive from justice, 1; seduction, 1; drunkenness, 30; breach of peace, 33; furnishing liquor to prisoners, 1; carrying concealed a deadly weapon, 5; disorderly conduct, 5; breach of ordinance, 1; drunk and disorderly, 8; suspect, 1; gaming, 1; disorderly house, 3; flourishing a gun, 1; disturbing a lawful assembly, 2; shooting in city limits, 1.

### Marriage Licenses.

Although short in days, February was an average month in the matrimonial line as 44 marriage licenses were issued at the county clerk's office. Cupid was busy around St. Valentine's day, and most of the licenses were issued about the first of the month, as last week not one license was issued.

### Fire Department.

February was one of the heaviest fire losses in Paducah in many months. The only fire of consequence was the fire at the Ed Roos company. During the month there were 17 alarms received during the month. The fire loss will amount to about \$60,000.

### Recruiting Station.

February was a banner month for the local army recruiting station in charge of Sergeant C. A. Blake and Joseph Krosky, and the largest number of recruits for one month were accepted last month than any other month in the past three years. Twenty-two men were accepted out of 56 who applied. The last man was accepted by Captain George W. Kirkpatrick, of Evansville, last night. He was Willie Broach, 21 years old, a farmer from Kirksey, Ky. He was sent to Jefferson barracks today, while Captain Kirkpatrick returned to Evansville.

The record established by the local station last month almost shows an acceptance of one man for every day. Those who were rejected and the causes were: Poor physique, 2; illiterate, 1; impaired vision, 7; minors, 6; undesirable, 8; hernia, 2; undersized, 4; stammering, 1; flat feet, 1; drunkenness, 1; married, 1.

Out of the 56 applicants following were the occupations of each: Farmers, 34; coal miners, 2; barbers, 3; clerks, 2; teamsters, 2; cooks, 2; laborers, 2; soldiers, 2; machinists, 2; carpenters, 2; flagmen, 2; tobacco growers, 1.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

PALMER—W. L. Mercer, Memphis; F. H. Emby, Louisville; R. E. Jones, Detroit; George Trail, Metropolis; J. F. Ragsdale, St. Louis; Robert Fletcher, Louisville; T. A. Peasley, Owensboro; W. H. Cunningham, Sturgis; Helm Bruce, Louisville; BELVEDERE—J. A. Anderson, Cairo; C. Phillips, Murray; Frank King, St. Louis; V. B. Norris, Evansville; Alex T. Farnley, Louisville; W. L. Krone, Kuttawa; C. E. Clark, Hopkinsville; H. C. Speigel, Memphis; George W. Downs, Murray.

NEW RICHMOND—J. H. Calhoun, Eddyville; Claude N. Cook, Harrisburg, Ill.; W. S. Rushing, Carversville; A. A. Myrick, Calvert City; John S. Parris, Richmond; J. C. Griffin, Dyersburg; C. N. Welch, Nashville; Ben F. Champion, Smithland.

## RIVER NEWS

River Stages.			
Pittsburgh	214	10.0	rise
Cincinnati	43.2	0.3	fall
Louisville	21.2	2.2	rise
Evansville	36.7	1.8	rise
Mt. Vernon	34.9	1.5	rise
Mt. Carmel	16.1	2.3	rise
Nashville	5.4	11.5	fall
Chattanooga	4.7	2.1	fall
Florence	6.8	0.0	st'd
Johnsonville	13.8	1.5	fall
Cairo	37.5	0.6	rise
St. Louis	11.0	0.4	rise
Paducah	33.1	0.3	fall
Burnside	8.0	2.6	rise
Carthage	8.5	0.5	fall

### River Forecast.

The river at Paducah will fall during the next 24 hours and come to a stand and then rise.

### Today's Arrivals.

John L. Lowry from Evansville. Clyde from Metropolis. Nashville from Nashville. Ohio from Golconda. George Cowling from Metropolis. Dick Fowler from Cairo.

### Today's Departures.

Dick Fowler for Cairo. Lowry for Evansville. Nashville for Nashville. Ohio for Golconda. Cowling for Metropolis.

### River and Weather.

Gauge at 7 a. m. marked 33.1 feet, indicating a fall of three-tenths of a foot since yesterday. Weather cloudy and foggy; business good.

### Mariners' Gossip.

From Cairo the towboat Major Slack passed here last night with several pieces in tow headed for the Rosi Claire mines.

Commodore Henry Lyshe returned this morning from St. Louis, where he spent Sunday with his family.

There is a great deal of congestion on the wharves because of the entrance and exit to it only by one stage. The north end stage is closed on account of repairs being made to the timber supports. They will be completed today, as Capt. Young Taylor is rushing the work.

Capt. Austin Owen is piloting the Dick Fowler to Cairo and back today in place of Pilot Tom Lovell, who is confined at his home with illness.

The towboat Antoinette arrived from the Tennessee river last night with a tow of staves for the Cincinnati Coopers company. She is lying here today for coal and supplies and will get away tonight or tomorrow for Cincinnati.

The West Kentucky Coal company's big towboat Gleaner, which delivered a tow of coal to New Orleans, is on her way back to Paducah and is due to reach here about Sunday. She has a big string of empties.

The John L. Lowry was the Evansville packet today.

Word was received from Evansville last night that the John S. Hopkins is lying there with a cracked cylinder. She will not resume the Evansville and Paducah trade for several days. Repairs are being made.

The towboat Mary Anderson departed last night for White river to assist her sister towboat Reaper. The Reaper went aground near White river several weeks ago and is now reported off. She has a tow of empty coal boats.

Twenty-eight busy days closed for rivermen yesterday. A record of the month is as follows: The highest stage of the river for the month was on the last day, when the gauge showed 33.4 feet. February 1 the stage was 32.7 feet, but the river fell for 18 days, beginning February 1. Then the river began to rise, rising 1 day. There were 12 cloudy days in the month and 16 clear days. A small quantity of ice appeared here February 18. Total precipitation for the month was 3.24 inches. One inch of snow fell February 11 and on February 17, 2 1/2 inches fell. Four inches of snow was recorded on February 18.

A slight fall in the river is expected today, but the river will come to a stand and then rise on account of the water above here.

The Merchants' and Planters' Packet company's steamer, H. W. Butteroff, is said to be doing a big business between Memphis and Carthageville. She is in charge of Capt. Hugh McGarry with Frank Watkins chief clerk and general manager, Fred Loving and Jim Allison are her engineers.

As fast as coal boats and barges arrive at Pittsburgh they are being repaired and made ready for a trip south. The Oakland with fourteen boats and three model barges, the Exporter with twelve boats and three barges and the Valiant with twenty-two barges, are en route down the Ohio, carrying about 1,085,000 bushels of coal. About 5,000,000 bushels of coal are ready to be shipped south.

Sheldon Brothers' machine shops at Paducah are building three new sets of machinery, as follows: One set of 17-inch by 4 and 8 foot compound machinery for the new ferryboat at Paducah to replace the Bettle Owen; one set of 14 by 6 feet, for the new ferryboat at Helena, Ark., now being built at Helena; also a set of 12 by 4 feet, for the towboat W. T. Hardison, owned by the Joyce-Watkins Tire company, of Nashville, Tenn.

### Union Rescue Mission.

The services were interesting and profitable Sunday night, it being the first service since the holidays. The meetings were hindered by the fire during Christmas week. A regular prayer and experience meeting will be held tonight at 7:30, conducted by Bro. William Payton.



## Extraordinary Matting Values at Extraordinary Prices

We have an immense showing of high-grade cotton warp carpet patterns to sell at a bargain. They are not the ordinary bargain kind that you see offered by any one, but a really high class matting at the price of inferior article—

25 pieces in all colors, selling regularly at 25c. **16c**  
choice

25 pieces in double-dyed effects selling regularly at 30c, choice **19c**

## At Rudy's

### THE LOCAL NEWS

—GET IT AT GILBERT'S.  
—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 642 Broadway. Phones 196.  
—Rubber stamps, seals, brass stencils, etc., at the Sun office.  
—Linen markers for sale at this office.  
—Free city and farm real estate price list. Whittemore, Fraternity building. Phone 835.  
—For Rheumatism take Hays' Specific.  
—Sign writing. G. R. Sexton. Phone 401.  
—For malaria and chills, take Hays' Specific.  
—If you appreciate good coffee, visit Buchanan's restaurant, 219 Kentucky avenue. Open day and night.  
—Flower seeds that will grow enough to supply all Paducah, now on sale. Brunson's, 529 Broadway.  
—For Stomach Trouble, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, take Hays' Specific.  
—Fresh oysters at Biederman's, Seventh street.  
—As we have no rush jobs on hand at present we are now more ably prepared to give you fine workmanship on carriage and automobile painting, also carriage repairing and rubber tires. Sexton Sign Works. Both phones 401.  
—For Eczema or impure blood, take Hays' Specific.  
—Fresh oysters at Biederman's, Seventh street.  
—Taxicabs for hire. One or two people 50c any part of city. Day or night. Both phones 843.  
—For Constipation or Torpid Liver take Hays' Specific.  
—For dry oak stove wood, heating wood and kindling, phone 203, only big wood yard in city. Johnston Fuel Co.  
—Fresh oysters at Biederman's, Seventh street.  
—The county clerk has notified ministers to call at his office and give bond to perform marriages. Some of them, including Dr. G. T. Sullivan, long since qualified. Dr. Sullivan secured his in Hickman county 20 years ago.  
—The board of public works will meet in regular session tonight at the city hall. For the first time the board will meet in its new office on the second floor.

### Bishop's Enthronement

Louisville, March 1. (Special.)—March 30 is set as the date for the enthronement of Bishop O'Donoghue.

### Your Complexion

Your complexion will show at once the beneficial influence of this delightful cream, for it soothes and heals the roughened skin like magic. Its anti-septic components soften, beautify and whiten the complexion, no matter how much damage the wind has done.

### Peroxigen Face Cream

is rightly classed as a necessity on the dressing table of many a refined woman, for it is a non-greasy preparation which is readily absorbed by the pores.

### Generous Jar for 25c

**Gilberts Drug  
Store**  
Fourth and Broadway.  
Both Phones 77.  
GET IT AT GILBERT'S.

### IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

#### Informal Dance for Visitors.

The younger set gave an informal dance Saturday evening at the Woman's club, in honor of a number of visitors, who came to attend the Oratorical contest. The evening was a most enjoyable one. Those present were: Misses Frances Craven, Evelyn Smith, Mattie Crenshaw, Sadie Buck, Adella Williamson, Ruth Fritz, Marion Dorch, Rebecca Smith, Dixie Hale, Elizabeth Terrell, Mary Kennedy, Ruth McChesney, Ora Pryor, Rostie Warfield; Messrs. Chas. Jarrett, E. Danforth, James West, Robert Dabney, C. Moore, O. Soyars, Brently Rudd, Wesley Doherty, Armour Gardner, Pittman Harth, Geo. Shelton, Fred Lack, William Humphreys, Horace Terrell, Robert Graham, Robert Banderant, John Kopf, R. N. Kirkland, Bill Powell, M. Steffen, David Humphreys, Felix St. John. Mrs. Dorch, of Hopkinsville, was the chaperon.

#### Cincinnati Club Women and the Biennial.

The club women of Cincinnati are determined that their reputation for hospitality shall not suffer during the coming biennial meetings of all the federated clubs in the United States, which will be held in May, says an exchange. The Hotel Sinton has been selected for the official headquarters, but there are ninety-nine other hotels where guests may be made comfortable, of which the committee has selected the best for the comfort of unattended woman. Applications are coming in daily.

The following is the committee: Mrs. William V. Ebersole, chairman, 2135 St. James avenue, Walnut Hills.

Mrs. J. M. Withrow, vice chairman. Miss Nellie Bechtel, secretary. Mesdames—Robert Hargitt, H. W. Crawford, Wm. Jordan Taylor, Philip W. Drackett, W. A. Simpkins, Miss Hannah Gazley.

#### Popular Paducah Visitor.

The Louisville Courier-Journal contains an attractive picture of Miss Ruby Morton, of Madisonville, head of "Charming Kentucky Society Girl." Miss Morton has visited Miss Mary B. Jennings in Paducah and was widely popular. She has recently returned from a visit to Mrs. Albert Thomas in New Orleans.

#### U. D. C. Chapter.

Paducah chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, is meeting this afternoon at the Woman's club. The program is:

Session of Louisiana, January 26, 1861, and of Texas, February 1, 1861.—Mrs. D. G. Murrell.

Music—"Teetot on the Old Camp Ground."

The hostesses of the afternoon are: Miss Mabel McNichols, Mrs. J. B. Bartee, Mrs. Charles Emery, Mrs. P. E. Stutz.

#### Arcadia Woman's Branch.

The Woman's Branch, of Arcadia, will meet with Mrs. E. B. Willingham, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All are invited.

#### Of Interest Here.

The Nashville Banner says: "The announcement of the wise selection of Mr. Frank O. Watts as president of the Nashville Golf and Country club, succeeding Mr. W. K. Phillips, and of Mrs. Watts as the club's chairman of reception, has given universal satisfaction among the club membership. The reception committee, recently appointed by Mrs. W. K. Phillips, to have charge of this season's social schedule at the club, will stand, and this list of chairmen will be announced later. In addition Mrs. Watts will appoint a special reception committee to serve at all the club's hospitality."

Mr. Watts is a former Paducah boy and is a cousin of Mrs. J. C. Flournoy, Mrs. William Hughes and other Paducahans. Mrs. Watts has been an attractive visitor in Paducah on several occasions.

#### Pretty Evening Party.

Miss Gertrude Kettler entertained in a charming manner, a few of her friends Monday evening. A color scheme of pink and white was carried. Present were: Misses Elsie Hoewischer, Gladys Pittman, Nell Elsie Hoewischer, Gladys Pittman, Hotchiss, Nona Cochran, Augusta Ingram, Clara Drummond, Lillian Kettler, Marie Ingram, Gertrude Kettler; Messrs. Velvina Quarles, Ellis Orr, George McFadden, Jess Fort, Harley Rector, Lote Plumlee, Robert Neal, Tobias Kettler, Carol Drummond; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kettler and Mrs. Bob Hayes.

#### Paducahans to Attend Princeton Dance.

The young ladies of Princeton will give a dance Friday evening, at the Hotel Henrietta. A number of Paducah people are invited to attend.

#### The Philanthropic Department.

The Philanthropic department of the Woman's club is meeting this afternoon at the club building.

#### Card Party for Visitor.

Mrs. George W. Katterjohn 1126 Jefferson street, will entertain at euchre this evening in honor of her house guest, Mrs. Harry Ellison, of New York City.

#### Delphic Club Elects Officers.

The Delphic club met this morning at 10 o'clock at the Delphic room in the Carnegie library. It was the annual business meeting and election of

officers for the club year that will begin next October.

Mrs. A. B. Meyers was re-elected president; Mrs. Edmund Post, vice-president; and Mrs. George Flournoy, treasurer. The only change in the official personnel was the election of Miss Dow Husbands secretary in place of Miss Kathleen Whitefield, who had served the two-year limit. The other officers went in last year.

Mrs. Meyers appointed a program committee to arrange the year-book for next year, as follows: Miss Dow Husbands, chairman; Mrs. J. C. Flournoy and Mrs. Lillard Sanders. The work next year will be the "Colonial Possessions of the British Empire."

It was decided to open the meeting next October with a luncheon at The Palmer and Mrs. Edmund M. Post, Mrs. Robert Becker Phillips and Mrs. Charles K. Wheeler were appointed a committee to arrange for this.

The only paper of the morning was a discussion of "Shakespeare and Stratford-on-the-Avon," beautifully presented by Mrs. Robert Becker Phillips. It was a most delightful and comprehensive review of the man, the world-dramatist and his historic home.

Mrs. Z. T. Dismukes has returned home, after a visit to Miss Etta Hester at Mayfield.

Mr. J. D. Powers, of Louisville, is in the city today on business.

Mr. Baxter B. Hughes left today for Owensboro on a visit to friends.

Miss Georgia Isaman, of South Sixth street, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Helsley, of Memphis.

Mr. C. G. Beale, of Murray, was in the city today on business.

Mr. George Traill, of Metropolis, arrived in the city last night.

Attorney J. R. Grogan left today for Princeton on business.

Miss Dave Stone, of Kuttawa, arrived in the city today on a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. Y. Robertson, of North Fourth street.

Mr. T. A. Wade, of Metropolis, was in the city yesterday on business.

Attorney Hal S. Corbett returned this morning from Louisville.

Mrs. L. B. Gregor is visiting Mrs. A. S. Purcell, of Central City.

Mr. Elmer Englert, of Cairo, Ill., arrived here last night to spend the day.

Mr. James Shearer left today for New Albany, Ind., on business.

### W. H. M. S.

#### BROADWAY CHURCH ELECTS ITS NEW OFFICERS.

#### Fountain Avenue Chooses New Officers and Delegates at Annual Meeting.

The Woman's Home Mission society of the Broadway Methodist church held its annual election of officers on Monday afternoon at the regular meeting in the parlors of the church. The officers for the ensuing year are:

Mrs. W. A. Martin, president; Mrs. Charles Johnson, first vice president; Mrs. India Johnson, second vice president; Mrs. W. M. Reed, third vice president; Mrs. Frank Brown, recording secretary; Mrs. E. R. Cunningham, corresponding secretary; Mrs. F. M. McGlathery, treasurer; Mrs. Osmond Bowyer, assistant treasurer; Mrs. John U. Robinson, Agent for "Our Homes."

Mrs. W. A. Martin was elected delegate and Mrs. Frank Brown alternate to represent the Broadway Home Mission society at the approaching annual meeting of the Woman's Home Mission society of the Memphis conference in Dyersburg, Tenn., March 29, April 1. There will be a session of much interest. Miss Belle Bennett, of Richmond, president of the Woman's Board of the Home Mission society, is expected to be present. Mrs. Della M. Patterson, of Mayfield, who has frequently visited her daughter, Mrs. George Flournoy, of Paducah, is the president of the Memphis conference Home Mission society. Another feature of interest to Paducahans who will attend, is that the Rev. C. A. Warfield, well known here, is the conference host, and the Rev. H. B. Johnston, a former pastor of Broadway, is presiding elder of the Dyersburg district, and lives in Dyersburg.

On Monday afternoon the Home Mission society of the Fountain Avenue Methodist church held a delightful meeting with Mrs. T. S. Darnell, 1436 Trimble street. Quite a number of the members answered to the roll call. After all business was disposed of the following officers were elected for the year:

President, Mrs. J. C. Martin; first vice president, Mrs. B. T. Davis; second vice president, Mrs. R. F. Fisher; third vice president, Mrs. J. M. Gentry; recording secretary, Mrs. A. M. Chastaine; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. P. Houseman; press superintendent, Mrs. Ida Cornilland; agent of the home, Mrs. S. E. Bynum. After the election of officers the society decided to elect their delegate to the annual conference which will be held at Dyersburg, Tenn., the first of April: Mrs. B. T. Davis was elected as delegate, and Mrs. J. M. Gentry as alternate. There being no further business the meeting was adjourned to meet with Mrs. B. T. Davis Monday afternoon, March 7, at 2:30 o'clock.

One of Rock's  
Easter Pumps.



GEO. ROCK SHOE CO.

#### WITH THE SICK.

Mrs. James McQueen, of the Hinkleville road, is convalescent from her recent illness.

Col. William Patterson, of Jefferson street, is ill of the grip.

Jesse and John Kreutzer, little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kreutzer, 413 Jackson street, are ill of pneumonia.

Mrs. W. R. Smith, 408 Washington street, is still seriously ill of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Thomas Hoflich, 700 South Twelfth street, is ill of the grip.

Mrs. Henry Theobald, 1611 Tennessee street, is ill of the grip.

Mr. J. Sellars, of Palsomdale, who is well known in Paducah, is ill at his home.

Miss Lucille Palmer is confined at her home, 228 North Eighth street, with illness.

Mrs. Ben Pittman, 1010 Jones street, is seriously ill.

Mrs. Mary Austin, of the Berger road, who has been ill of grip, is improving.

Mrs. N. E. Phamey is quite sick at her home, 622 South Sixth street.

### ROOS PLANT HAS TEMPTING OFFERS

#### COMMERCIAL CLUB PROBABLY WILL MAKE PROPOSITION TO CONCERN TO STAY.

Unless Paducah can offer the Roos Manufacturing company sufficient inducement to remain here, the city will lose one of its best plants.

The directors of the company held a meeting last night, when several propositions were considered, and it was decided to postpone definite action until it could be learned if the local Commercial club has any propositions to offer.

The company has one offer from a town across the river, which will furnish a building, and a great deal of machinery, for an indefinite period, rent free, and Mr. Roos also has an offer from Chicago, which he is considering.

"I very much prefer to stay in Paducah," he said last night, "if I can, but it remains to be seen if the inducements are here."

The Roos plant has been one of the most consistently operating concerns in the city, the last four years, running all through the panic with a good force, and the last few months it has been operating with one of the biggest pay rolls in the city.

Today several directors of the Commercial club considered the matter informally, and it is thought a meeting will be called in a few days to take some action seeking to retain the plant here.

#### GALVANIZED IRON ROOFING. NO PAINT, NO RUST, LASTS FOREVER. AT FOWLER & WOLFE'S, 112 BROADWAY.

At the Star.  
As usual a packed house greeted the new vaudeville bill at The Star, and as usual a good bill was on.

Each act is excellent and if any act deserves special mention it is probably Miss Elsie Wilson, whose turn is different than any act that has ever been presented to the Star patrons. The Loos brothers are clever singers and were heavily encored.

Gaylor and Jefferson have a very neat sketch and play it well.

### CARNATIONS

My Carnations can be had at R. W. Walker Co.'s drug store. 35c dozen or 3 dozen for \$1. G. R. NOBLE

William Everett Fleming, Mrs. Herman Graham, 1301 Jefferson street, has received the sad information of the death of her nephew William Everett Fleming, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. George Fleming, of Springfield, Mo. The little fellow died of diphtheria.

#### GALVANIZED IRON ROOFING. NO PAINT, NO RUST, LASTS FOREVER. AT FOWLER & WOLFE'S, 112 BROADWAY.

WYANDOTTE EGGS—Golden and silver laced. World's best layers. Beauty and utility stock. John S. Orr's grand old unmixed strain of silvers. Line bred for 30 years. McDaniel heavy laying strain of beautiful goldens. Blue-ribbon winners. Pen headed by Richard 13, sired by 1st cock, Chicago, 1909. Settings reasonable. Apply 417 Washington, old phone 2130. G. E. Thompson.

Surely some special credit is due the devil that invented the delusion that debating a thing was the same as doing it.

### WANT ADS.

EIGHT horse motor for sale cheap at The Sun office.

HAIR GOODS—Made to order, Louvenia Miller, Old phone 374-a.

WANTED—Lady demonstrators at 520 N. 6th St., from 4 to 5 p. m.

FOR SALE—Stove and heating wood. Old Phone 437.

WANTED—To insure your house or household goods. Smith & Davis.

FOR RENT—Third floor over Walker's drug store. D. A. Yelser.

HAIR WORK—Phone 2114. Lillian Robinson.

WANTED—To buy furniture and stoves. O. W. Baugh, 205 South Third. New phone 901.

FOR SALE—Real cheap, buggies and wagons. Sexton Sign Works, 16th and Madison. Both phones 401.

CLOTHING cleaned by Dalton is always satisfactory. Phone 685. Dalton does the best dyeing in the city.

FOUND—At Barksdale Brothers Co., 131 South Third, all kinds of picture frames at lowest prices.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with modern conveniences. 626 Kentucky avenue.

FURNISHED room for rent. Steam heated and modern conveniences. Apply 417 Washington.

FOR RENT—5 room house, 1221 Trimble street; \$8 a month. A. M. Laevison & Co. Phone 145.

FOR RENT—7 room house; modern conveniences. 441 South Ninth. Apply 716 Kentucky avenue.

FOR RENT—One steam heated apartment in Cochran apartments; 4 rooms and bath. W. E. Cochran.

WANTED—Ten loads of old, well-rotted manure. Phone 203. Johnston Fuel Co.

FOUND—The cheapest place to buy furniture. Williams, 501 South Third.

FOR SALE—My Maxwell automobile, in perfect condition. W. E. Cochran, 325 Broadway.

FOR RENT—Room with steam heat and all modern conveniences. Apply 502 Washington.

FOR RENT—Modern, up-to-date six-room cottage; desirable location. Telephone 86.

FOR RENT—Three furnished or unfurnished rooms, water, lights and phone rent paid. Address G. care Sun. Give phone number.

FOR RENT—The store house on Ninth and Tennessee, one of the best stands in the city. Apply to Jake Biederman Grocery Co.

FOR RENT—Three up-to-date furnished rooms. Steam heat and all modern improvements. Old phone 1415.

PIANO tuning and repairing by experts only. All work guaranteed. J. M. Jones Piano Co., 218 Broadway. Old phone 571-a.

FREE OF CHARGE—All White sewing machines adjusted free of charge at F. N. Gardner, Jr., Co. Either phone 395.

WE WASH lace curtains very carefully. Get them cleaner and whiter than you could at home. Star Laundry. Phone 200.

M. B. ROOF PAINT—"Arkite" Rubber Roofing. "The kind that Noah would have used." Phone 1218-a.

FOR SALE—Cotton seed feed at Illinois Coal and Feed company; \$30 a ton while it lasts. Sixteenth and Tennessee.

FOR BOOKBINDING, Henry Mammen, Jr., blank book manufacturer. Third and Kentucky avenue. Old phone 696.

NEEDLES and repairs for all makes of sewing machines at F. N. Gardner, Jr., Co. 114-116 South Third street.

YOUR LACE curtains need cleaning. You will make no mistake in sending them to the Star Laundry. Phone 200.

FURNISHED rooms with fire, electric lights, hot bath and phone; \$8, \$10 and \$12 per month. Mrs. Woolfolk, 408 Washington street.

WANT to do your watch and jewelry repairing. All work first class. W. N. Warren, jeweler, 403 Broadway.

WANTED—To furnish your umbrella with a new cover or handle. W. N. Warren, jeweler, 403 Broadway.

WANTED—we put new covers on umbrellas whole you wait. Large stock of umbrellas. Eye-See Jewelry Co., 315 Broadway.

WANTED—You to get our proposition. We sell diamonds on easy payments. Eye-See Jewelry Co., 315 Broadway.

WANTED—At once, Gentlemen or ladies with fair education. Salaries \$2.50 per day. Also one traveling manager. Salary \$18 weekly. Apply 231 South Fourth.

S. H. HOSTEN, the tailor. Cleaning, pressing, dyeing and repairing neatly done. Ladies' skirts and suits a specialty. 121 South Ninth. Old phone 338-a.

LADIES' CLOTHES—Best cleaned, repaired or dyed by our process. All dust and spots removed; garments delivered in covered wagon and promptly. Harry Dalton, phone 444.

QUICK DELIVERY SERVICE—Any person wanting hauling done on short notice, telephone me. I will send wagon and reliable driver at once. Horses already hitched and drivers waiting. Baggage wagon meets all trains and boats. Skelton's Baggage and Delivery Service. Both phones 2251.

### Are You From Missouri?

Let our prices SHOW you that it is to your advantage to give us at least a part of your trade

Diagraph Lead Pencils, No. 2, per dozen..... **30c**

Sphinx or Forum Pencils, No. 1, per dozen... **30c**

Diamond Writing Fluid, per quart..... **60c**

Carters' or Stafford's writing fluid, quart..... **65c**

Wolverine Box File, dust proof, the best on the market, worth \$3.50 doz., our price..... **\$2.50**

Falcon Pen, No. 97, Round pointed, per gross box..... **60c**

No. 6 XXX Envelopes, box of 250 for..... **25c**

These and many more bargains are found at

**D. E. Wilson's**

BOOK AND MUSIC STORE

313 Broadway.

WANTED—Both nurse girl and cook. 233 North Fourth street.

WANTED—First class cook. 1622 Jefferson street.

WANTED—Girl to do general house work. Apply Bob Lilly, old phone 334-2.

LOST—Small gold bar pin. Engraved with "Lucie." Return to this office for reward.

LOST—On market or on Broadway, Saturday afternoon, brown fur muff. Phone 287.

FOR SALE—One fine jack, also large surrey horse. Apply to Jake Biederman Grocery Co.

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash. Parlor suite, dayvenport, bedroom suite, sideboard and cabinet; 289 Clements.

FOR SALE—White plymuth rock roosters, also select eggs for settings. Old phone 1548.

WANTED—Two apprentice girls in millinery department. Mrs. C. N. Baker, 319 Broadway.

FIVE ROOM FLAT with bath and lights, on the corner of Seventh and Clay. Apply 532 North Seventh St.

FOR RENT—3 rooms, convenient for light housekeeping. Steam heated and light furnished. Apply 417 Washington. Old phone 2130.

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, span of mules, wagon and harness. Can be seen at Powell and Hickory streets, Mechanicsburg. John Davis.

FOR RENT—Five room house, newly papered; only two blocks from I. C. shops; \$9 per month. Old phone 1415.

READ the St. Louis Star. Delivered every day and Sunday, 10 cents per week. Otis Clark, local representative. New Phone 1769.

FOR RENT—Two adjoining rooms, furnished or unfurnished, in private family and suitable for light housekeeping; 313 Madison street.

FOR SALE—Two Vulcan plows, two sections Zig Zag harrow, one garden Cultivator, one two-horse road wagon. Bargains if sold at once. Johnston Fuel Co. Both phones 203.

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## RUSSIA MAKES HER PROPOSAL.

Answer to Knox's Proposition for Construction.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 28.—M. Iswolsky, foreign minister, has formally submitted to the United States and other interested powers the Russian government's alternative proposition to that proposed by Secretary Knox relative to the construction of the Algon-Chin-Chow railroad. Instead of this Russia suggests

that there be constructed another trans-Mongolian line, further westward, striking the trans-Siberian railway near the Baikal lake.

This proposition does not meet with special favor in diplomatic circles here. It is considered an impracticable and unprofitable venture, in no wise meeting the conditions which call for the construction of the Algon-Chin-Chow road. Well-informed diplomats are unable to understand the fear of Chinese military aggression, which is the basis of Russia's objection to the latter project, nor do they take the Chinese army seriously. But anxiety certainly exists.

## Wolgang on the Stage.

Kansas City, March 1.—Ad Wolfgang has accepted an offer of \$1,000 a week for a ten weeks' vaudeville engagement made him by an agent in this city. The tour will begin at Kansas City on March 13 and extend eastward.

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## FROM LOW PLACE TO A HIGH SEAT

STORY OF SAM SHACKLEFORD'S RAPID RISE.

Got Into Camp With Col. Urey Woodson, Then Trains With Beckham.

BUT HE SOON DROPS LATTER.

John Duncan Clark writes to the Louisville Herald from Frankfort: "Honk, honk."

A big black Oldsmobile, with its red wheels flashing in the sunlight, dashes across the bridge that links the pretty residential section of South Frankfort with its older and less beautiful quarter across the river. A native, sauntering in the opposite direction, tips his hat and says:

"Howdy, Mr. Shackelford."

The occupant of the car, a stoutly built man, whose silvery gray hair shows a fringe beneath his hat, acknowledges the salute as he flies past.

That is Sam Shackelford, gentleman of leisure and fortune, one of the Big Four in the "Third House," and said to be the only man who owns an automobile in the Kentucky capital. He is probably making a spin from his palatial home on Shelby street to the office of his friend, Eli Brown.

Capital's Social Center.

Mr. Shackelford's Frankfort residence enjoys the distinction of being the social center of the capital city. His charming wife, the granddaughter of Governor McGuffin, who was chief executive of Kentucky in the strenuous days of the war, is the recognized leader of society and presides with grace at its most exclusive functions.

To this high eminence, to this enviable prosperity, Mr. Shackelford came by a path that was not always bordered with primroses or carpeted with Oriental rugs. Diligence and an eye for the main chance have marked his successful career. If he has looked out for himself he has done no more than emulate example set by such distinguished citizens of the United States as John D. Rockefeller, Andrew Carnegie and others who might be mentioned.

Begins to Win Renown.

Sam was a riding expert. The rapid staccato of his equine's hoofs was heard on many of the roads of Hopkins, and carried warning to the ears of those who had any cause to fear the authority of his office. For tradition says that Sam was most efficient in his work, allowing no dodging or evasion of the county's claims.

By and by it came time to elect a new sheriff, and then it was Sammy-on-the-spot. The acquaintances he had made with the town politicians in his apportioned days stood him in good stead; his record as a deputy backed up this influence, and Sam got the nomination—likewise the election.

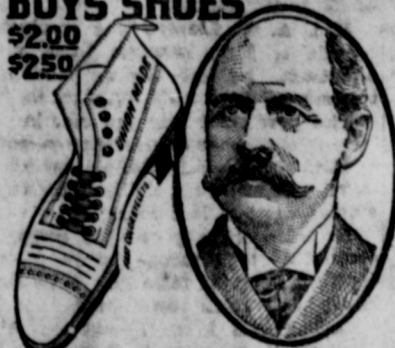
For four years he held the office, wearing his riding boots with the trousers tucked into their tops, and scouring the county in faithful pursuit of his duties. It was during this time that his chance came to get wider renown. In the famous Polk-Laffoon race for congress Sam—or rather sheriff Shackelford—sprang into the limelight as campaign manager for Mr. Laffoon. His brilliant generalship, and the notable victory he won for his candidate, gave him immediate prominence, and politicians of more than county celebrity began to talk about this promising young man as having a future.

So Sam kept his eyes open. He had a suave manner for a country boy, and a good line of talk. He mixed well, and he was discriminating in his choice of company. Instead of loading with empty-headed youngsters on the corner after working hours, flirting with the pretty girls and frittering away the golden days of opportunity, he ingratiated himself with the political nabobs of the town. They liked this lad, growing into manhood; they liked his nerve, and soon his chance came. The sheriff of Hopkins county wanted a deputy, and he offered the position to Sam. The apron was jerked off so quickly one of the strings was broken and young Shackelford walked out of the grocery store to launch on a career in the service of the people.

There is something admirable in this anxiety that surges within the breast of the rising generation to devote life and talents and energy to the cause of the state. Looking back at that picture of Sam in the first blush of a dawning maturity, with the dark down shading his face on the days that he neglected to shave, facing the hardships and perils of a life in the saddle as a deputy sheriff, it is impossible to avoid a thrill. The boys of today may well study the interesting beginnings in the career of this youth, and, as they study, bear in mind how fortune has smiled upon him and prospered his goings.

Then there came a break with Beckham. Ties of friendship and association were snapped asunder. The reason, who can tell? To the unprejudiced observer it would appear that, after the heroic work done by Mr. Shackelford in raising a monster

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former grocer's clerk. He stuck with this crowd through the strenuous days of 1899 and the stormy scenes that ensued upon the election of Taylor and the contest of Goebel.

In 1900 when Beckham, who was counted in with Goebel by the legislature, was occupying the office of governor until a new election could be held, Mr. Shackelford was one of a committee delegated to solicit campaign contributions in the east to help the Democrats in their approaching fight. It is said that the Democrats had the biggest campaign fund in their history as a consequence, which is an obvious tribute to the soliciting ability of Mr. Shackelford.

It may have been twenty-five years ago, possibly more by a year or so, that a youth, who looked to be in his later teens and showed in his clothes and bearing the evident influence of a boyhood spent on the farm, wandered into Madisonville looking for a job. He found a chance to work in a grocery store. The boss called him "Sam," a simple name that, strangely enough, has biblical associations with that of Eli. (See 1, Sam. 3:10.) Sam proved an efficient clerk, courteous to the customers, familiar with the stock, neat and quick in weighing out sugar or weighing a butcher knife on a side of bacon.

Wider Opportunity.

But Sam had an ambitious nature. In his youthful bosom there was a yearning to occupy a larger sphere than that afforded by the narrow limitations of a rural grocery store. He longed to divest himself of the white apron and launch out on a field of enterprise where there were bigger rewards to be had for energy than his \$3 per.

Capt. Bogardus Again Hits the Bull's Eye.

This world famous rifle shot, who holds the championship record of 100 pigeons in 100 consecutive shots, is living at Lincoln, Ill. Recently interviewed, he said: "I have suffered a long time with kidney and bladder trouble and have used several well-known kidney medicines all of which gave me no relief until I started taking Foley's Kidney Pills. Before I used Foley's Kidney Pills I was subjected to severe backache and pains in my kidneys with suppression and oftentimes a cloudy voiding. While upon arising in the morning I would get dull headaches. Now I have taken three bottles of Foley's Kidney Pills and feel 100 per cent better. I am never bothered with my kidneys or bladder and once more feel like my own self. All this I owe solely to Foley's Kidney Pills and always recommend them to my fellow sufferers."—Gilbert's Drug Store.

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MILITIAMEN FILE PROTESTS.

Against Action of Conferees Regarding Movement of Troops.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 28.—Kentucky and Indiana militia officers are up in arms because the senate and house conferees on the army bill have stricken out the provision enabling part of the \$2,000,000 annual appropriation for arms and equipment, to be spent for the pay of militiamen and the movement of troops. This will make it exceedingly difficult for both states to participate in this year's maneuvers at Fort Benning, Ga. Telegrams of protest are rolling in.

Counterfeiter Arrested.

Decatur, Ala., March 1.—Jerry Phelps, a well known negro of Decatur, was arrested today on the charge of counterfeiting and it is believed that he is connected with a professional gang of counterfeiters here. A search of his house is said to have revealed the fact that there was some counterfeiting paraphernalia stored away there.

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Memphis, N. Orleans, south. 1:28 pm  
Memphis, N. Orleans, south. 1:28 pm  
Mayfield and Fulton. 7:40 am  
Cairo, Fulton, Mayfield. 8:00 pm  
Princeton and Eville. 6:10 pm  
Princeton and Eville. 4:15 pm  
Princeton and Hopville. 9:00 am  
Cairo, St. Louis, Chicago. 7:35 am  
Cairo, St. Louis, Chicago. 9:20 am  
Met'ls, Car'dale, St. L. 11:00 am  
Met'ls, Car'dale, St. L. 3:35 pm

**Leaves Paducah.**  
Louisville, Cincinnati, east. 1:32 am  
Louisville, Cincinnati, east. 7:50 am  
Louisville, Cincinnati, east. 11:25 am  
Memphis, N. Orleans, south. 3:57 pm  
Memphis, N. Orleans, south. 6:15 pm  
Mayfield and Fulton. 4:20 pm  
Mayfield, Fulton, Cairo. 6:30 am  
Princeton and Eville. 1:33 am  
Princeton and Hopville. 11:25 am  
Princeton and Hopville. 3:40 pm  
Cairo, St. Louis, Chicago. 9:10 am  
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## Tales For a Winter Evening

The Meanness of Rosy

From the "Old Home House"

By JOSEPH C. LINCOLN

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CAP'N JONADAB said that the south seas and them islands was full of queer happenings, anyhow. Said that Eri's yarn reminded him of one that Juli Sparrow used to tell. There was a cockney in that yarn, too, and a south sea woman and a schooner. But in other respects the stories was different.

"You all know Wash Sparrow, here in Wellmouth," says the cap'n. "He's the laziest man in town. It runs in his family. Washy's brother Juli—Juli's Caesar Sparrow—he was no account and lazy as the rest. When he was around this neighborhood the only thing that would get him livelier up at all was the mention of a feller named 'Rosy' that he knew while he was seafaring way off on 't'other side of the world. Juli used to say that 'twas this Rosy that made him lose faith in human nature."

"The first time ever Juli and Rosy met was one afternoon just as the Emily—that was the little fore and aft south sea trading schooner Juli was in—was casting off from the ramshackle landing at Hello Island. Course that ain't the real name of it. The real one is spelled with four o's, three a's, five i's and a peck measure of h's and x's hove in to fill up. No white man ever said the whole of it. Them that tried always broke down on the second fathom or so and said 'Oh, the hereafter!' or words to that effect. Course the missionaries see that wouldn't do, so they twisted it sterner first, and it's been Hello Island to most folks ever since."

"Juli was at Hello Island to long a yarn. B'lieved down it amounts to a voyage on a bark out of Seattle, and a first mate like yours, Eri, who was a kind of Christian Science chap and cured sick sailors by the laying on of hands—likewise feet and belying pins and ax handles and such. Him and Juli had their final argument one night when the bark was passing abreast one of the Navigator Islands, close in. Juli hove a marlin spike at the mate's head and jumped overboard. He swam ashore to the beach, and inside of a week he'd shipped aboard the Emily."

"George Simmons, a cockney Britisher he was and skipper, was standing at the schooner's wheel, swearing at the two Kanaka sailors who were hissing the jib. Juli, who was mate, was roosting on the lee rail amidships, helping him swear. And old Teunis Van Doozen, a Dutchman from Java or thereabouts, who was cook, was setting on a stool by the galley door ready to heave in a word whenever 'twas necessary. The Kanakas was doing the work. That was the usual division of labor aboard the Emily."

"Well, just then there comes a yell from the bushes along the shore. Then out of them bushes comes tearing a little man with spectacles and a black enamel cloth carpetbag, heaving sand like a steam shovel and seemingly trying his best to fly. And astern of him comes more yells and a big, husky Kanaka woman, about eight foot high and three foot in the beam, with her hands stretched out and her fingers crooked."

"Juli used to swear that that beach was all of twenty yards wide and that the little man only lit three times from bush to wharf. And he didn't stop there. He fired the carpetbag at the schooner's stern and then spread out his wings and flew after it. His fingers just hooked over the rail, and he managed to haul himself aboard."

"Cap'n George Simmons looked down at the wrecked flying machine and grinned."

"'Umph!' says he. 'You don't look like a man the girls would run after. Lady your wife?'"

"The little feller bobbed his spees up and down."

"'So?' says George. 'Ow can I bear to leave thee, 'ey? Well, ain't you ashamed of yourself to be running off and leaving a nice, 'andsome, abled-bodied wife like that? Look at 'er now over there on 'er knees a-praying for you to come back.'"

"'She ain't praying,' her husband pants, ducking down again quick. 'She's a-picking up stones.'"

"And so she was. Juli said he thought sure she'd cave in the Emily's ribs afore she got through with her broadsides. The rocks flew like hail. Everybody got their share, but Cap'n George got a big one in the middle of the back."

"'You mis'erable four eyed shrimp!' he says. 'I'd serve you right if I love to and made you swim back to 'er. Blow me if I don't believe I will!'"

"'Aw, don't, cap'n! Please don't!' begs the feller. 'I'll be awful grateful to you if you won't. And I'll make it right with you too. I've got a good thing in that bag of mine—yes, sir, a beautiful good thing.'"

"'Oh, well,' says the skipper, bracing up and smiling sweet as he could for the ache in his back. 'I'll 'elp you out. You trust your Uncle George. Not on account of what you're going to give me, you understand,' says he. 'It would be a pity if that was the reason for 'elpin' a feller creat—Spar-

row, if you touch that bag I'll break your blooming 'ead. 'Ere, you; and it to me. I'll take care of it for the gentleman.'"

"'All the rest of that day the cap'n couldn't do enough for the passenger. Give him a big dinner that took Teunis two hours to cook and let him use his own pet pipe with the last of Juli's tobacco in it, and all that. And that evening, in the cabin, Rosy told his story. Seems he come from Bombay originally, where he was born an innocent and trained to be a photographer. This was in the days when these hand cameras wa'n't so common as they be now, and Rosy's full name was Clarence Roseberry, and he looked it—had a fine one; also he had some plates and photograph paper and a jug of 'developer' and bottles of stuff to make more, wrapped up in an old overcoat and packed away in the carpetbag. He had landed in the Fiji's first off and had drifted over to Hello Island, taking pictures of places and natives, and so on, intending to use 'em in a course of lectures he was going to deliver when he got back home. He boarded with the Kanaka lady at

"'I've got a good thing in that bag of mine.'"

Hello till his money give out, and then he married her to save board. He wouldn't talk about his married life, just shivered instead."

"'But 'ut about this good thing you was mentioning, Mr. Roseberry?' asks Cap'n George, polite, but staring hard at the bag."

"'That's it,' answers Rosy, cheerful."

"'What's it?'"

"'Why, the things in the grip, the photograph things. You see, my experience has convinced me that there's a fortune right in these islands for a photographer who'll take pictures of the natives. They're all dying to have their photographs took. Why, when I was in Hello Island I could have took dozens, only they didn't have the money to pay for 'em, and I couldn't wait till they got some. But you've got a schooner. You could sail around from one island to another, me taking pictures and you getting copra and—"

"'And pearls and things from the natives in trade for 'em.'"

"'Old on!' Cap'n George had been getting redder and redder in the face while Rosy was talking, and now he fairly b'lieved over, like a teakettle. 'Old on!' he roars. 'Do I understand that this is the good thing you was going to let me in on—me to cruise you around from Dan to Beersheba, feeding you and giving you tobacco to smoke?'"

"'Twas my tobacco,' breaks in Juli."

"'Shut up! Cruising you around, and you living on the fat of 't'—the water and me trusting to get my pay out of 't'ypes of Kanakas! Was that it? Was it?'"

"'Why—why, yes,' answers Rosy. 'But, cap'n, you don't understand.'"

"'Then,' says George, standing up and rolling up his pajama sleeves, 'there's going to be justifiable 'omicide committed right now.'"

"'Juli said that if it hadn't been that the skipper's sore back got to hurting him he don't know when him and the cook would have had their turn at Rosy, 'cause they wanted a turn on account of the tobacco and the dinner, not to mention the stone bruises. When all hands was through, that photographer was a sp'iled negative.'"

"'And that was only the beginning. They made him work his passage, and every mean and dirty job there was to do he had to do it. They took his clothes away from him, and while they lasted the skipper had three shirts at once, which hadn't happened afore since he served his term in the Sydney jail. And he was such a comfort to 'em. Whenever the dinner wa'n't cooked right, instead of blaming Teunis they took it out of Rosy. By the time they made their first port they would not have parted with him for no money, and they looked him up in the fo'castle and kept him there. And when one of the two Kanaka boys run away they shipped Rosy in his place for six months, the Emily trading and stealing all around the south seas.'"

"'One day the schooner was off in an out of the way part of the ocean, and the skipper come up from down below, bringing one of the photographing bottles from the carpetbag.'"

"'See 'ere,' says he to Rosy, who was swabbing decks just to keep him out of mischief, 'w'at kind of a developer stuff is this? It has a mighty familiar smell.'"

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Rosy, meek, as usual. "That's alcohol. I use it—"

"'Alcohol!' says George. 'Do you mean to tell me that you've had alcohol aboard all this time and never said a word to one of us? If that ain't just like you! Of all the ungrateful beasts as ever I—'"

"'When him and the other two got through convincing Rosy that he was ungrateful they took that bottle into the cabin and begun experimenting. Juli had lived a few months in Maine, which is a prohibition state, and so he knew how to make alcohol 'splits'—one-half wet fire and the rest water. They 'splitted' for five days. Then the alcohol was all out and the Emily was all in, being stove up on a coral reef two mile offshore of a little island that nobody'd ever seen afore."

"They got into the boat—the four white men and the Kanaka—'listed the sail and headed for the beach. They landed all right and was welcomed by a reception committee of fifteen husky cannibals with spears, dressed mainly in bone necklaces and sunshine."

"'The darkies tied 'em up good and proper and then held a committee meeting, arguing, so Juli called, whether to serve 'em plain or with greens. While the rest was making up the bill of fare a few set to work unpacking the bags and things, Rosy's satchel among 'em. Pretty soon there was an awful jabbering. They was wildly excited, and two or three of 'em was waving square pieces of cardboard in their hands."

"'And here's where the Emily's gang had a streak of luck. The Kanaka sailor couldn't talk much English, but it seems that he could manage to understand a little of their lingo."

"'Picture!' says he, crazy-like with joy. 'Picture, cappy! picture!'"

"'When Rosy was new on board the schooner he'd taken the cap'n's picture and Juli's and Van Doozen's. The pictures was a rogues' gallery that would have got 'em hung on suspicion anywhere in civilization, but these darkies wa'n't particular. Anyhow, they must have been good likenesses, for the committee see the resemblance right off."

"'They think witchcraft,' says the Kanaka. 'Want to know how make.'"

"'Lord!' says George. 'You tell 'em we're witches from Witch Center. Tell 'em we make them kind of things with our eyes shut and if they eat us we'll send our 't'ypes to 'annut 'em into their graves. Tell 'em that quick.'"

"'Well, I guess the Kanaka obeyed orders, for the islanders untied the feet of their Sunday dinners, got 'em into line and marched 'em off across country, prodding 'em with their spears, either to see which was the tenderest or to make 'em step livelier. I don't know which."

"'Juli said that was the most nervous walk ever he took; said afore 'twas done he was so leaky with spear holes that he cast a shudder like a skimmer. Just afore sunset they come to the other side of the island, where there was a good sized native village with houses made of grass and cane and a big temple-like in the middle, decorated fancy and cheerful with skulls and sparrows. There was a great chair arrangement in front of the temple, and on it was the fattest, ugliest old liver colored woman that Juli ever see. She was rigged up regardless with a tooth necklace and similar jewelry, and it turned out that she was the queen of the bunch. Most of them island tribes for women's sake."

"'Well, the visitors had made a bit, but Rosy's photographs made a bigger one. The queen and the headmen of the village pawed over 'em and compared 'em with the originals and powdered like a sewing circle. They called up the Kanaka sailor, and he preached witchcraft and hoodoo's to beat the ears, lying as only a feller that knows the plates are warming for him on the back of the stove can lie. Finally the queen wanted to know if the 'long pigs' could make a witch picture of her."

"'Tell 'er yes,' yells George when the question was translated to him. 'Tell 'er we're picture makers by special appointment to the queen and the Prince of Wales. Tell 'er we'll make 'er look like the sweetest old chocolate drop in the taffy shop. Only be sure and say we must 'ave a day or so to work the spells and put on the kibosh.'"

"'So 'twas settled, and dinner was put off for that night, anyhow. And the next day being sunny, Rosy took the queen's picture. 'Twas an awful strain on the camera, but it stood it fine, and the photographs he printed up that afternoon was the most horrible collection of mince pie dreams that ever a sane man run afoul of."

"'But her majesty thought they was lovely and set and grinned proud at 'em for hours at a stretch. And the wizards was untied and fed up and given the best house in town to live in. And Cap'n George and Juli and the cook got to feeling so cheerful and

happy that they begun to kick Rosy again, just out of habit. And so it went on for three days."

"Then comes the Kanaka interpreter, grinning kind of foolish."

"'Cappy,' says he, 'queen likes you. She likes you much lot.'"

"'Well,' says the skipper, modest, 'she'd ought to. She don't see a man like me every day. She ain't the first woman,' he says."

"'She like all you gentlemen,' says the Kanaka. 'She say she want witch husband. One of you got marry her.'"

"'Hey!' yells all hands, setting up. 'Yes, sir. She no care which one, but one white man must marry her tomorrow, else we all go chop plenty quick.'"

"'Chop' is Kanaka English for 'cut.' There wa'n't no need for the boy to explain."

"Then there was times. They come pretty nigh to a fight, because Teunis and Juli argued that the skipper, being such a ladies' man, was the natural born choice. Just as things was the warmest Captain George had an idea."

"'Rosy!' says he."

"'Hey!' says the others, then 'Rosy? Why, of course, Rosy's the man.'"

"'But Rosy wa'n't agreeable. Juli said he never see such a stubborn mule in his life. They tried every reasonable way they could to convince him, pounding him on the head and the like of that, but 'twas no go."

"'I got a wife already,' he says, whimpering."

"'I tell you, says Juli. 'We'll be square and draw straws.'"

"'Wa't?' hollers George. 'Well, I guess not!'"

"'And I'll hold the straws,' says Juli, winking on the side."

"'So they drew straws, and strange as it may seem, Rosy got stuck. He cried all night, and although the others tried to comfort him, telling him what a lucky man he was to marry a queen, he wouldn't cheer up a mite."

"'Next day the wedding took place in the temple in front of a wood idol with three rows of teeth and as ugly almost as the bride, which was saying a good deal. And when 'twas over the three shipmates come and congratulated the groom, wishing him luck and a happy honeymoon and such. Oh, they had a bully time, and they was still laughing over it that night after supper when down comes a file of big darkies with spears, the Kanaka interpreter leading 'em."

"'Cappy,' says he, 'the king say you no stay in this house no more. He say too good for you. Say timely, when the place been clean up, maybe he use it himself. You got to go.'"

"'Who says this?' roars Cap'n George, ugly as could be."

"'The king, he says it.'"

"'The queen, you mean. There ain't no king.'"

"'Yes, sir. King and queen now. Mr. Rosy he king. All tribe proud to have witch king.'"

"'The three looked at each other. 'Do you mean to say,' says the skipper, choking so he could hardly speak, 'that we've got to take orders from 'im?'"

"'Yes, sir. King say you no mind, we make.'"

"'Well, sir, the language them three used must have been something awful, judging by Juli's tell. But when they vowed they wouldn't move the spears got busy, and out they had to get and into the meanest, dirtiest little hut in the village, one with hardly any sides and great holes in the roof. And there they stayed all night in a pouring rain—the kind of rains you get in them islands."

"The only thing they could agree on was that Rosy was what the skipper called a 'vip'er' that they'd nourished in their bosoms."

"Next morning 'twas worse than ever. Down comes the Kanaka with his spear gang and routs 'em out and sets 'em to gathering breadfruit all day in the hot sun. And at night 'twas back to the leaky hut again."

"And that wa'n't nothing to what come later. The lives that King Rosy led them three was something awful. 'Twas dig in and work day in and day out. Teunis had to get his majesty's meals, and nothing was ever cooked right. And then the royal army got after the steward with spear handles. Cap'n George had to clean up the palace every day, and Rosy and the queen, who was dead gone on her witch husband and let him do anything he wanted to, stood over him and found fault and punched him with sharp sticks to see him jump. And Juli had to fetch and carry and wait and get on his knees whenever he spoke to the king and be helped up again with a kick, like as not."

"Rosy took back all his own clothes that they'd stole, and then he took theirs for good measure. He made 'em marry the three ugliest old women on the island, his own bride excepted, and when they undertook to use a club or anything he had them licked instead. He wore 'em down to skin and bone. Juli said you wouldn't believe a mortal man could treat his feller creatures so low down and mean, and the meanest part of it was that he always called 'em the names that they used to call him aboard ship."

"For a good six months this went on—just the same length of time that Rosy was aboard the Emily. Then one morning early Juli looks out of one of the holes in the roof of his house, and off on the horizon, heading in, he sees a small steamer, a pleasure yacht 'twas. He lets out a yell that woke up the village and races head first for the Emily's boat that had been rowed around from the other side of the island and laid there with her oars and sail still in her. And behind him comes Van Doozen and Cap'n George."

"'Into the boat they piled, while the islanders were getting their eyes open and gazing at the steamer. There wa'n't no time to get up sail, so they grabbed for the oars. She stuck on the sand just a minute, and in that minute down from the palace comes King Rosy, running the way he run from the first wife over at Hello. He leaped over the stern, picked up the other oar, and off they put across the lagoon. The rudder was in his place, and so was the tiller, but they couldn't use 'em then."

"They had a good start, but afore they'd got very far the natives had waked up and were after 'em in canoes."

"'Ere!' screams Cap'n George. 'This won't do! They'll catch us sure. Get sail on to 'er lively! Somebody take that tiller!'"

"Rosy, being nearest, took the tiller, and the others got up the sail. Then 'twas nip and tuck with the canoes for the opening of the barrier reef at the other side of the lagoon. But they made it first, and just as they did out from behind the cliff comes the big steam yacht, all white and shining, with sailors in uniform on her deck; and awnings flapping and four mighty pretty women leaning over the side. All of the Emily gang set up a whoop of joy, and 'twas answered from the yacht."

"'Saved!' hollers Cap'n George. 'Saved, by thunder! And now,' says he, knocking his fists together—'now to get square with that four eyed thief in the stern! Come on, boys!'"

"Him and Juli and Teunis made a flying leap aft to get at Rosy. But Rosy see 'em coming, jammed the tiller over, and the boom swung across and swept the three overboard pretty as you please."

"There was a scream from the yacht. Rosy give one glance at the women. Then he tossed his arms over his head."

"'Courage, comrades!' he shouts. 'I'll save you or die with you!'"

"'And overboard he dives, kersplash!'"

"Juli said him and the skipper could have swum all right if Rosy had give 'em the chance, but he didn't. He knew a trick worth two of that. He grabbed 'em round the necks and kept hauling 'em under and splashing and kicking like a water mill. All hands was pretty well used up when they was pulled aboard the yacht."

"'Oh, you brute man!' says one of the women, stooping over Rosy, who was sprawled on the deck with his eyes shut. 'Oh, you hero!'"

"'Are they living?' asks Rosy, faint-like and opening one eye. 'Good! Now I can die content.'"

"'Living!' yells George soon 's he could get the salt water out of his mouth. 'Living! By the 'oly Peter! Let me at 'im! I'll show 'im whether I'm living or not!'"

"'What ails you, you villain!' says the feller that owned the yacht, a great big Englishman, Lord Somebody-or-other. 'The man saved your lives.'"

"'He knocked us overboard!' yells Juli."

"'Yes, and he done it a-purpose!' sputters Van Doozen well as he could for being so waterlogged."

"'Let's kill him!' says all three."

"'Did it on purpose?' says the lord, scornful. 'Likely he'd throw you over and then risk his life to save you. Here! says he to the mate. 'Take those ungrateful rascals bet. Give 'em dry clothes and then set 'em to work—hard work, understand? As for this poor, brave chap, take him to the cabin. I hope he'll pull through,' says he."

"And all the rest of the voyage, which was to Melbourne, Juli and his two chums had to slave and work like common sailors, while Rosy, the hero invalid, was living on beef tea and jelly and champagne and being petted and fanned by the lord's wife and the other women. And 'twas worse toward the end, when he pretended to be feeling better and could sit in a steamer chair on deck and grin and make sarcastic remarks under his breath to George and the other two when they was holystoning or scrubbing in the heat."

"'At Melbourne they hung around the wharf, waiting to lick him till the lord 'em took up for vagrants. When they got out of the lockup they found Rosy had gone. And his lordship had given him money and clothes and I don't know what all."

"Juli said that Rosy's meanness sickened him of the sea; said 'twas time to retire when such reptiles was afloat. So he come home and married the scrubwoman at the Bay View House. He lived with her till she lost her job. I don't know where he is now."

"'Twas purty quiet for a few minutes after Jonadab had unloaded this yarn. Everybody was busy trying to swallow his share of the statements in it, I cal-

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'late. Peter T. looked at the cap'n admiring, but reproachful.

"'Wixon,' says he, 'I didn't know 'twas in you. Why didn't you tell me?'"

"'Oh,' says Jonadab. 'I ain't responsible. 'Twas Juli Sparrow that told it to me.'"

"'Humph,' says Peter. 'I wish you knew his address. I'd like to hire him to write the Old Home ads. I thought my invention was A1, but I'm in the kindergarten. Well, let's go to bed before somebody tries to win the prize from Sparrow.'"

"'Twas afore 11 by then: so, as his advice looked good, we followed it."

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## WHERE IS

## DR. BRIGGS?

## MINISTER MAKES MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE.

Recently Released From Workhouse in Cincinnati on Agreement He Would Exhibit Himself.

## HE SEEMS TO BE IN HIDING.

Cincinnati, March 1.—Rev. Waverly Briggs, the Methodist minister who was sent to the workhouse in an effort to cure him of the drug habit, after he had taken some pens from a Central avenue store, has disappeared, and members of the Salvation Army stated yesterday that they do not know where he has gone. He left the Citadel hotel Friday night and has not been seen since. He was to have spoken at the men's meeting yesterday, but did not put in an appearance.

Major Andrews, of the Salvation Army, stated last night that he had been corresponding with Briggs' wife, who lives in New York city, in an effort to get her to agree to a reconciliation, but has heard nothing from her. It is thought that Briggs has gone east in an endeavor to see his wife, from whom he had been separated for some time.

A week ago yesterday Dr. Briggs, on the eve of his release from the workhouse, made an impassioned appeal to the prisoners to lead better lives. The Salvation Army offered Dr. Briggs a home with them until he regained his footing in the world, which fact developed a nice little story of repaying past kindnesses on the part of the minister when he had charge at Paducah, Ky. The army members, one of whom was Major Andrews, then a humble worker in the ranks, found a haven in the church.

Some comment was aroused over the fact that an advertisement appeared in various Cincinnati papers last Tuesday, apparently published by Dr. Briggs, under the heading of "An Appeal for Work." Dr. Briggs denied that he had authorized the advertisement and it was learned later that a certain man, seeking advertising, had placed the advertisements in the papers. His plan was to put Dr. Briggs on a platform and use him as an advertising medium. Official's nipped the scheme in the bud, however, making Dr. Briggs promise, before he was released from the workhouse, that he would not exhibit himself in public. This was agreed to and Dr. Briggs took up his abode at the Citadel hotel.

He did not tell any one of his intention to leave the city, but walked out of the hotel and left no trace of his present whereabouts.

One night last week he left the Citadel, stating that he was going to Norwood. He did not come back to the place until nearly daylight, telling the night clerk that he had been delayed on the return from Norwood. It is not known whether he made any arrangements to leave Cincinnati when he made his mysterious visit to Norwood.

An indorser of a note is exempt from liability if not served with a notice of its dishonor within twenty-four hours of its non-payment.

## RAILROAD NOTES

Today the nine-hour day went into effect in the car department of the Illinois Central shops, giving the employees one hour more on the day. However, yesterday afternoon a reduction of about 30 men was made in the car department. It is said that the appropriation for the department would not permit the working of the force with the longer day schedule. The increased hours will not make any smaller pay roll, and will benefit the carmen retained. It is expected that the force in the car department will be increased soon.

The machine department was quiet this morning, as the machinists were off duty to attend the funeral of George K. Leonard, for many years a machinist at the Illinois Central shops. Mr. Leonard was the representative of the Plain City lodge of Machinists in the Central Labor Union.

Engineer George Fielder is on the sick list.

Engineer Lee Eaker has returned to work after recovering from an injury to his knee sustained in the wreck at Wingo several weeks ago.

Master Mechanic J. H. Nash is in Louisville on business.

Tom Copeland, a hostler, has returned to work after an illness with the grip.

Worth Holcomb, a boilermaker helper, has recovered from his recent illness.

## PADUCAH PLANT

## PLEASES MAYOR OF BOWLING GREEN, KENTUCKY.

Advised By General Electric Company to Inspect Plant in This City.

Paducah's city electric light plant was considered as a model by the representatives of the General Electric company. Dr. G. E. Townsend, mayor of Bowling Green, left yesterday for his home after inspecting the Paducah plant. The officials of Bowling Green are considering making improvements to their electric plant, and the representatives of the General Electric company referred the mayor to the Paducah plant as a model, to see how the municipal lighting system is operated. Mayor Townsend was pleased with the Paducah plant. Superintendent W. H. Force showed the Bowling Green mayor every nook of the plant.

## SPRING ATHLETICS

## INTERESTING PADUCAH HIGH SCHOOL BOYS.

Basketball is Ssaring First Place With Baseball Now.

Spring athletics are being talked now by the High school boys. Challenges have been received from some of the colleges and High schools of the state, asking the Paducah lads to participate in a state track meet. It is thought the local lads will accept, as there is some good material to work upon a good track squad. It is proposed to hold the meet about May 14, and this date will give every school plenty of time to train and get ready.

The High school will be represented by a strong baseball team this spring also, and in a short time it is expected to sound the call for candidates. It is expected to arrange games with several of the surrounding cities. So much rivalry has arisen between the High schools of western Kentucky that the rival athletes may meet on the diamond as well as on the gridiron.

The first basketball team of the girls is in correspondence with the Cairo High school girls in anticipation of arranging a game. The High school girls have played several inter-class games this season, but have tried a game with another school.

**Musical Program.**  
Tomorrow morning a musical program will be rendered in the High school by the pupils of the A Seventh grade. This class has a number of good voices. The program will be:  
Vocal solo—Mary Holland.  
Sextette—Ruth Hinkle, Lillian Humphreys, Edna Clark, Rebecca Graham and Hart Hinkle and Russell Martin.  
Duet—Mary Holland and Sanders Keithly.  
Vocal solo—Sanders Keithly.

The resources of all the banks of the country amount to about \$21,000,000,000, or about one-fifth of the entire wealth of the country.

## SQUABBLE OVER

## THE WATERWAY

## LORIMER WRITES AGAINST DEENEEN BILL.

Channel of 24 Feet Is What Deeneen Has Declared For in Illinois River Project

## LORIMER DECLARES 14 ENOUGH

Springfield, Ill., March 1.—The letter addressed by Senator Lorimer to the members of the legislature in which the junior senator locks horns with Governor Deeneen on the Schmitt, or administration deep waterway bill, is calculated to still further embitter the fight between the governor and Lorimer. If it is possible to get the Schmitt bill out of the hands of the house committee on deep waterway, of which Smejkal, of Chicago, is the chairman, where it was buried by Speaker Shurtliff, there is likely to be a hot fight on the floor of the house and Governor Deeneen thinks the bill will pass if it ever gets out of the committee.

Governor Deeneen last night made a lengthy answer to the letter of Senator Lorimer. Governor Deeneen contends that it would require a channel 24 feet deep to carry away the 24 cubic feet of water per minute which is discharged through the channel between Lockport and Brandon's Road during the flood flow in the spring and fall, though Lorimer says such a depth is not necessary.

Lorimer's contention is that no reason could be given for a depth of 14 feet from Brandon's road to Utica, and the governor shows that a depth of 14 feet is obtained in the forty-two locks of the Canadian St. Lawrence river system of channels and the Erie canal, being enlarged to 14 feet. Regarding the charge that the governor states that the federal army engineers estimated the cost of the waterway from Lockport to St. Louis at \$30,000,000 and from Lockport to Utica at \$25,356,000, and the internal improvement commission had estimated the project at \$19,857,517. Regarding Lorimer's declaration that it would be impossible to find a sale for the immense electrical power that would be generated, Governor Deeneen replies that a dam is being constructed across the Mississippi river at Keokuk, Ia., which will generate 200,000 electrical horse power, or 57,000 more horse power than the deep waterway. If a deep waterway of fourteen feet would attract no commerce as claimed by Lorimer, says Governor Deeneen, congress is evidently about to make a serious mistake in enacting a law on the advice of the president for a nine foot channel from Pittsburgh to Cairo, on the Ohio river, a nine foot channel, from Cairo to New Orleans on the Mississippi river, and eight foot channel from Cairo to St. Louis on the Mississippi, and a six foot channel from St. Louis to St. Paul on the Mississippi, and from St. Louis to Kansas City on the Missouri river.

"This argument is answered," says Governor Deeneen, "by the experience in the commercial countries of Europe which have expended a vast amount of money for channels of no greater depth."  
The governor declares that should the supreme court of the United States declare against the state of Illinois in the Economy Light and Power company case, and of the federal government in the suit instituted by the federal government in Chicago against that company, private water power companies will be immensely benefited by the delay.

By legislative delay, said the governor, the state will be compelled to repurchase from private water power corporations water power which has been paid for by the tax payers of the sanitary district of Chicago at a cost of \$80,000,000, when completed sales without expense to themselves.

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## MR. EWING'S PLAN

## SUBMITTED TO MEETING OF THE COUNTY BOARD.

## Contracts to Buyers to Be Issued If the Proposition Meets With Favor.

Springfield, Tenn., March 1.—Association circles are astir this week on account of the coming to light of the new buying contract plan which the general manager, Felix G. Ewing has proposed. The proposition was submitted to the county board of directors at a meeting the first of the week, but the meeting was secret, and none of the proceedings were made public. It was known that the general manager was present and his proposition was submitted.

The proposition is to issue buying contracts. The buyer will purchase his tobacco from the farmer, and it must be prized and sold through the association. The buyer is to have a profit of \$1 per 100 pounds, and the farmer is to receive the balance. For instance, an authorized buyer purchases a crop of tobacco, the association prizes and sells it, for, say, \$9. The buyer is to have \$1 and the farmer receives \$8.

It is said that some association prizes and officials have been buying and speculating on tobacco contrary to the association laws, and it is understood that Mr. Ewing has ventured the opinion that the issuance of buying contracts would obviate this.

Most of the tobacco has been disposed of this year, it being estimated that million of pounds have been sold in the Black Patch outside of the association.

## Notice of First Meeting Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in Bankruptcy.  
In the matter of George Rush, bankrupt.  
To the creditors of George Rush of Paducah, in the county of McCracken, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1910, the said George Rush was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in Paducah, McCracken county, Kentucky, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1910, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may come properly before said meeting.  
EMMET W. BAGBY,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.  
Paducah, Ky., Feb. 28, 1910.

## Resolutions of Condolence.

Whereas, An allwise Providence in His inscrutable wisdom has seen fit to lay His omnipotent hand upon our High school body and take therefrom one of its most useful members, Annie Austin; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the pupils of the High school, deplore her death as a great loss to the student body, because of her energetic and co-operative spirit toward all school work.

That we, knowing her gentle and amiable disposition and her tireless efforts to attain success, will strive to emulate the beautiful example she has set for us.

That the class of 1912 sincerely realizes that from their midst has departed a cheerful and studious member whose place can never be filled.

That we extend to the members of her family our sympathy in this hour of bereavement.

That these resolutions be read before the student body, a copy sent to

the family and a copy submitted to the local papers for publication.

INA DARNELL,  
VIRGINIA WARREN,  
ILEY B. BROWNING,  
Committee.  
February 28, 1910.

## Search For Sunken Gold.

Seattle, Wash., March 1.—An expedition has been organized by an expert diver to raise the steamer Islander, sunk ten years ago in 320 fathoms of water near Juneau, Alaska, while bound for Seattle with \$2,000,000 of Klondike gold in the strong box. The situation of the steamer is known, but the depth of water has previously forbidden salvage attempts. The plan proposed is to lift the vessel with a huge metal seine.

R. L. Barnett, state secretary of the Farmers' Union, left this morning for Washington, to attend congress in the interest of the Union.

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